

Candidate and Non-Candidate



Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor (left) speaks at Washington shortly after announcing that he is a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination in 1948. At right Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich.) tells reporters in his office at Washington that "I am not a candidate for the presidential nomination and I anticipate no campaign in my behalf." (AP Wirephoto)

Stassen Is Candidate, He Declares

Minnesotan Says He Will Amend Wagner Act to Prevent Mass Picketing Makes First Move Serves Notice Old Guard Will Get Battle at Convention

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—Harold E. Stassen ripped the lid off the 1948 Republican presidential nomination battle today by declaring his candidacy on an immediate platform of changing the Wagner-Labor Relations Act.

The 39-year old three-time governor of Minnesota and former navy captain added that he is out to steer the G.O.P. along a "truly liberal path."

One of his first efforts, Stassen told a news conference yesterday, will be directed toward amending the Wagner Act to prescribe a "set of unfair practices" for labor such as "mass picketing." Practices now spelled out as unfair in this law apply only to management.

Stassen said he wants to "balance up this collective bargaining."

His announcement, unexpected only because of its timing, so long before the 1948 nominating convention, came after Senators Vandenberg of Michigan and Taft of Ohio had told reporters they are not candidates. Each, however, left the way open for any campaigns in their behalf.

Stassen, as the first to throw his hat into the ring, served notice on the party's Old Guard that it can look for a battle somewhat similar to that waged in 1940 by the late Wendell L. Willkie. Many Willkie supporters now are in the Stassen camp.

Others Mentioned

Besides Taft and Vandenberg, others who have been mentioned as contenders for the nomination include Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, the 1944 standard bearer, Senator-elect John W. Bricker of Ohio, Gov. Earl Warren of California and Edward Martin of Pennsylvania; Senator-elect Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut, and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Stassen said he is opening a Washington office January 1 with Earl E. Hart as his personal secretary. He added he would confer frequently with Republicans in Congress.

Stassen described true Liberalism as a "philosophy of life which seeks the maximum social, economic, political and religious freedom for the individual man and woman consistent with the enjoyment of the same degree of freedom for his or her fellow men."

"As I see it," he added, "it means opposing the extreme of left and the extreme of right, the extreme of Fascism and the extreme of Communism."

Stassen said he would devote his first efforts in Washington to a national labor policy. He also will give attention to housing, health and small business.

Praising Truman

Praising the way President Truman handled the coal strike, he said the future of the working people depends on four things in the next six months:

No big strikes so production can be continuously high.

Raising the salaries of white collar workers such as teachers.

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Ex-Secretary to Bilbo Says He Was Told That if He Gave Out What He Knew About Mississippian, He Would Be Killed

Dewey Conference With Congressmen Is Viewed Closely

Ives Also Will Attend Luncheon at Albany; May Mark Dewey Influence

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 18 (AP)—New York's Republican congressional delegation, which will be watched closely as a possible sounding board for Governor Dewey's views, came to Albany today to confer with the 1944 G.O.P. presidential nominee and a potential candidate for the nomination in 1948.

Dewey invited the group to lunch with him (12:30 p. m.) at the executive mansion, reportedly to discuss "state problems," but it was assumed that national affairs also were on the discussion agenda.

The titular head of the nation's Republicans maintained silence on yesterday's developments which saw Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor, announcing his candidacy for the G.O.P. presidential nomination and Michigan Senator's Arthur Vandenberg's declaration that he is not a candidate.

The statements of Vandenberg and of Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio, who earlier said he was not an active candidate at this time, were not taken too seriously in Republican circles here.

The Governor's office said a "majority" of the state's 28-member G.O.P. delegation, along with U. S. Senator-elect Irving M. Ives, had accepted invitations.

The private luncheon conference was expected to set the stage for active, if indirect, Dewey influence on national affairs in the next two years.

Points of Speculation

Speculation centered on these points:

The State's G.O.P. delegation will be a powerful force in the first Republican-dominated Congress since 1930.

As titular head of the party, observers agreed, it would be natural for Dewey to strive for a pre-session understanding on general goals of federal funds in an effort to avoid any commitments that would embarrass the party in the State during the next two years.

It also would be natural for Dewey to seek to strengthen his position with home forces for likely congressional sparring with Ohio groups led by Taft and Senator-elect John Bricker.

To Talk State Problems

In announcing the luncheon meeting last week, however, Dewey stressed that "state problems" would be discussed and his office later said the agenda would include consideration of federal and state taxation, the State's voice in legislation affecting distribution of federal funds in the State, and management of the U. S. Employment Service which recently was returned to state control.

The Republican election victory gave the State six new G.O.P. congressmen and broke the deadlock of last session when representation stood at 22 Republicans, 22 Democrats and one American Laborite. The elections reduced the Democratic bloc from the State to 16 and the only American Laborite.

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Cody Fire Probe Continues; Malden Citizens Take Steps For Fire, Water Districts

Corporal Metzger Says No Clue Uncovered but Will Continue Investigation; Codys to Resume Business; Petition Is Being Drawn

State police, admittedly without any tangible clues, today were pressing their investigation of the \$150,000 blaze Monday at the Cody Grain and Lumber Company at Malden-on-Hudson, while aroused citizens of Malden were clamoring for the formation of adequate fire fighting and water facilities for the district.

Cpl. John Metzger, of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation division, and Trooper Rock of the Lake Katrine state police station, who are conducting the investigation, said this morning that there was nothing new to report and that no clues had been uncovered.

Cpl. Metzger stated however that the investigation will be continued until state police are satisfied the arson theory can be eliminated.

Meanwhile Calvin and Alton Cody, owners of the huge lumber and coal plant, were proceeding to resume business without delay. Construction of a temporary office in a portion of the new garage which had been under construction previous to the fire and which was not damaged, began yesterday.

Coal Still Burns

Most of the 700 tons of coal ignited by the fire Monday night was still burning yesterday and this morning. The futile efforts to bring the blaze under control during the day and night attracted large crowds to the devastated area. Attempts to check the blaze will be continued today, although the coal is regarded a total loss.

A definite figure for the fire loss and property damage has not been set by the Cody brothers. Their original estimate placed the loss at \$100,000 but the figure is expected to be closer to \$200,000 when insurance adjusters and fire underwriters make a complete report.

The citizens of Malden are thoroughly alarmed by the devastating fire, and aware of the fact that only the absence of any kind of wind prevented additional tremendous property losses. Monday night, were signing petitions for the creation of a water district.

A number of influential residents said yesterday that they are

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Merchants Prepare For Final Rush of Yule Time Buyers

Stores Scheduled to Keep Open Until 9 P.M. Rest of Week; Business Big

The Christmas shopping season gets under way in fullswing in Kingston tonight with local merchants, already having experienced an all-time high record Christmas business, prepared for the final rush.

A majority of the stores in the city will observe the holiday shopping hours until Monday night. All stores are scheduled to remain open until 9 o'clock. A small percentage are likely to observe longer hours.

The chair food stores will observe their usual hours, with some independent stores keeping open while others operate at regular hours. Some chains may select one night for extended hours.

Chambers of Commerce officials predicted the volume of business would be the heaviest in years. Stocks of goods, although not yet normal, are far above the average for the past two seasons.

Gay Decorations

Kingston will be gaily decorated in Christmas trimmings in all three business sections. Places of public interest like the city hall, court house and Academy Green already reflect the holiday spirit.

The extensive Christmas decorations in some establishments, reflecting a myriad of colors and designs traditional with the season are the result of painstaking effort by the merchants to capture the spirit of the holiday.

Heavy Night Traffic

Traffic during the past two Friday nights has mounted to an all-time high in the uptown and central business sections and is expected to reach an absolute peak this week. Well stocked stores and generally available cash in the post-war hangover are responsible for the tremendous influx of shoppers.

Although official figures are not available it is estimated that a number of the larger retail and independent stores have made 25 to 30 per cent gains over the 1945 season.

Sufficient Merchandise

Local stores reported that while there has been more early buying of Christmas gifts than ever before, stocks are sufficient to maintain through next week. The stores are ready to handle the rush of shoppers that starts tonight.

Department and independent stores have reported sales of 25 to 30 per cent increase in November of 1946 over last year. The 25-30 per cent ratio is almost statewide on the basis of Federal Reserve Bank statistics.

While there remains a considerable scarcity of some items, the general retail stocks have been equal to the extraordinary demands, the merchants report. This has been particularly true in haberdashery. Shirts of the various colors while not available in normal quantities have made their appearance in sufficient number to keep the male customers hoping for more.

Clothing stores although held back by scarcities still show greater stocks than in the past two years and a substantial increase in sales volumes. A majority of the stores have been holding out for quality merchandise associated with their firms in the past.

Some Appliances Short

Shortages in certain articles of furniture and electrical appliances are still evident but all merchants admitted they are making substantial gains over the Christmas season of last year.

Toys are more readily available than in several years, while the dazzling array of pre-war decorations and electrical appliances for Christmas trees are making a steady comeback. Dealers pointed out that while toys are not as plentiful as in normal years, the quality of merchandise is high and cannot in any sense be construed as a wartime product.

More for Trees

The Christmas tree supply is up to normal, although prices are slightly higher. Within a few days thousands of trees will trade their outdoor dress of snow and cones and an occasional squirrel for a glittering holiday array of tinsel and hidden lights.

The demand is for spruce, balsam and pine. What dealers call a "good family tree" still costs from \$3 to \$4. A "church tree" ranges from \$7 to \$12. Triple balsams are regarded as the finest Christmas tree on the market. That variety has needles growing in all directions.

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Terry Says There Was 'Understanding' on Election Campaign Debt in 1940

Says He Got Funds Secretary Says He Was Given Cash, Checks by Contractors

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—Edward P. Terry, former secretary to Senator Bilbo, (D., Miss.), testified that A. B. Friend told him last April that if he told what he knew about his former boss he would be killed.

Terry also testified today that there was an "understanding" with Mississippi war contractors in connection with a 1940 election campaign debt.

Terry told Senate war contract investigators that Bilbo told him that the debt would be paid by the contractors.

"Was there any understanding that these war contractors were to pay any money or that any money was to be paid?", asked Senator Ferguson (R., Mich.).

"Yes," Terry replied.

A few moments before Terry had testified he could recall no conversations about "payment of money."

Provided Funds

Under Ferguson's questioning, Terry said it had been his duty to provide campaign funds for the 1940 election of Senator Bilbo. To do this, Terry said he advanced "about \$3,600 plus \$750, or about \$4,350."

Shortly afterward, Terry said he received a long distance telephone call from Bilbo in which "Senator Bilbo told me the money would be repaid by these contractors."

Terry said that A. B. Friend, one time campaign manager for Bilbo and later one of the war contractors, was present in his room when Bilbo telephoned.

The witness said he later received cash and checks to repay the debt.

At another time, while he and Bilbo were having breakfast in the same building where the hearing now is underway, Terry said Bilbo told him:

"Be calm, stay on the job and don't say anything to these boys until they get well on the way on the jobs."

Terry explained this referred to war contractors who were just starting work on projects that Bilbo had helped obtain for them.

"My understanding was that they, through some manipulation, would begin to pay me," Terry added.

Borrowed from Shushan

Terry said the extra \$750 had been advanced to help repay \$3,600 that Bilbo had borrowed from Abe Shushan, New Orleans, La., merchant and former Huey Long lieutenant.

Terry said Bilbo told him that Shushan had advanced the \$3,000 with the understanding that it would not have to be repaid if Bilbo aided Shushan in clearing up pending federal actions against him.

"Was that the civil suit for tax collection or the mail fraud case against Shushan?" Ferguson asked.

Terry said he did not know but he recalled that he and Bilbo went to the Justice Department here.

An effort to bar Terry from testifying about his "confidential relationships" with his former employer, Bilbo, was made by Paul Dillon, St. Louis lawyer who appeared as Terry's counsel at the hearing.

Dillon argued that to permit a senator's secretary to disclose confidential matters learned in connection with his professional duties would "destroy the proper carrying on of the Senate's business."

Chairman Mead (D.-N.Y.), ruling otherwise, pointed out that a Senate investigating committee is not a court of law and not bound by the same rules of procedure.

Senator Ferguson (R., Mich.) asked Bilbo's attorney, Forrest

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Mary Sheldon Lyon Leaves \$500,000 To Father Divine

Legacy Is Stipulated for Use According to Judgment of Receiver

Mrs. Mary Sheldon Lyon, 85-year-old reclus, of 120 Cabrini Boulevard, New York city, who died last October 10, has left her residuary estate estimated at approximately \$500,000 to two of Father Divine's Corporations, according to her will which was filed in surrogate's court in New York.

Among the bequests made are paintings and pictures, including one, "at my home at 120 Cabrini Boulevard and at 67 Chapel street, Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y.," which are left to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, The Chapel street property in Kingston is now known as "Father Divine's Peace Mission" and is presently assessed to Esther Grace and others, followers of Father Divine.

Some to Brother

In the will, dated December 18, 1943, Mrs. Lyon left her brother Dr. William Hills Sheldon, \$500, and \$2,500 plus household and personal effects to "my faithful and devoted friend" Patience Budd. Six relatives and friends are bequeathed \$100 each. It is stated that at the present time Dr. Sheldon is in Rome.

Under the terms of the will the balance of the estate is left to the two Father Divine missions, The Palace Mission, Inc., in Harlem and the Palace Mission Church and Home, Inc., of Brigantine, Pine Brook, N. J., "to be used in such manner as its duly constituted representatives shall deem proper." The Harlem mission is located at 280 West 155th street, New York.

Possible Contest of Will

However whether the two Divine organizations will benefit from the estate may depend upon a possible will contest which George J. Regan, an attorney of 46 Cedar street, New York, may bring. Regan said he had been engaged by Dr. William Hills Sheldon, brother of Mrs. Lyon, to appear in the matter and Regan stated he had obtained a show cause order from Surrogate William T. Collins to permit him to examine Patience Budd and Saint Mary Bloom, one of the executors of the estate.

Patience Budd, in addition to the \$2,500 bequest mentioned in the Lyon will is also left a Packard car, clothing, jewelry and household effects and "my four-posted antique bed."

\$400,000 Trust Fund

The other executor named in the Lyon will is David Diamond, 66 Court street, Brooklyn. Saint Mary Bloom's address is given as 2036 Fifth avenue. Witnesses to the will are Thomas Hopgood and Ole Benson, both of 110 Cabrini Boulevard and Dr. Samuel C. McKinney of 1 West 126th street. According to the filed papers Mrs. Lyon is the life beneficiary of three trust funds established for her by her mother, Eliza Swain Sheldon and valued at more than \$400,000.

Regan said the show cause order charged that Mrs. Lyon "lacked testamentary capacity and that the will was procured by fraud and undue influence by one Father Divine, alias Rev. Morgan J. Divine, alias Major J. Divine, alias Joe Baker and others."

He said the papers also declared that "at various times despite the feeble condition of the decedent, the said, Patience Budd, took the decedent from her home to various kingdoms, heavens and promised lands maintained by Father Divine, Saint Mary Bloom and others."

Sees Fur Coat Price Drop

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—Albert M. May, director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, cautiously predicted today a decline in the price of fur coats in the not-too-distant future.

At Recent Lakes, mink pelts sold for 25 per cent less than last year's prices, and American-processed mink pelts sold for an average of \$46.64 each, compared with an \$80.28 average last September. Day told a reporter that, due to the price lag between wholesale and retail markets, it might take a little time for these lower prices to be reflected in fur-coat prices.

Woodstock to Send Delegation of 25 To Albany Hearing

Supervisor, School Board Will Attend; Egan Will Be Spokesman for Taxpayers

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Approximately 25 citizens of the township of this village will appear Thursday before the Rapp-Coudert Committee on Education at the assembly chamber in Albany to oppose any plan of incorporating the Woodstock village school in any "master plan" for Ulster county.

This might, it is felt, work against a township central school district which has been favored by the citizens of the lower portion of the township.

The meeting has been called for 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon before the Rapp-Coudert committee in the Senate chambers in Albany for the announced purpose of "considering a master plan for school district reorganization in Ulster county."

It is believed that there will be advanced a "long range" master plan for re-districting in the county and this plan will be opposed by the Woodstock delegation. The plan would affect the plan which the Woodstock educators have been considering. Among those who will appear as representatives of the Woodstock taxpayers will be John E. Egan, attorney, who will speak as a taxpayer. Supervisor Kenneth Wilson of Woodstock also will attend the session as will Samuel Wilson, Lorenz Stowell and Clark Neher, trustees of the Woodstock district school. Principal Walter Van Wagenen also will attend.

Others Will Be Welcome

In addition to those who may attend as officials of the district, there will be at least 25 taxpayers and any others who may desire to attend will be welcomed by the delegation.

For some time the matter of a central district has been under advisement by the residents of Woodstock. Recently a vote was taken and it was carried, that there be a central school district for the township.

Another plan which has been advanced is for the consolidation of the school districts of Olive, Shandaken and Woodstock with a consolidated district which comprehends a high school plant located in the vicinity of Mt. Tremper and serving the three townships. This consolidated plan is opposed by the Woodstock group who desire a township central district school, and retaining the present system of sending its pupils to the Kingston High School.

No Specific Application

The plan for reorganization of school districts of Ulster county which will be discussed before the Rapp-Coudert committee at Albany Thursday is called a "master plan" for the entire county and does not specifically apply to the Woodstock situation, but the Woodstock delegation intends to appear in force to oppose any inclusion of the Woodstock school in any broad consolidation of three townships. It is known that the consolidation of the three townships has been favored by State Education officials.

40,000,000 to Get Five-Pence Rebate

London, Dec. 18 (AP)—Each of Britain's 40,000,000 citizens will receive next month a gift of meat from Argentina valued at five pence (about 10 American cents). The Ministry of Food announced that in the week beginning January 12, each purchaser will be given a rebate of five pence when he buys his weekly ration of one shilling four pence (about 28 American cents).

President Peron of Argentina announced at the signing of the recent Anglo-Argentine agreement that his country would send a meat gift to the British people as a gesture of friendship. Prime Minister Attlee responded with a formal expression of thanks.

The Food Ministry said supplies would not allow the use of the meat as an addition to the ration, and devised the rebate scheme. Argentina had hoped the gifts would arrive by Christmas, but this was not possible, the ministry said.

Stewart Field Boss Urges Dropping Auxiliary Fields

Stewart Field, Newburgh, N. Y., Dec. 18—Col. Benjamin J. Webster, commanding officer, declared today that recently submitted recommendations urging that Stewart Field's two remaining auxiliary airfields at Wallkill and Montgomery be declared surplus to the needs of this station had been fully endorsed by the Tactical Command Headquarters, Langley Field, Va., and that the matter now rests in the hands of A.A.F. authorities in Washington.

The auxiliary fields have not been in use for several months. This is due, in part, to complete suspension of flying activity on the part of the U.S.M.A. cadets, and the recent transfer of personnel and real estate from the Air Training Command to the Tactical Air Command. Affirmative action in the disposition of the two fields was also held up due to tentative plans for an air screening course for U.S.M.A. cadets as part of their air indoctrination course. This called for extensive use of both fields during the summer months of 1947. However, the War Department has decided that there will be no air screening phase next summer, making it possible for Stewart Field authorities to begin action to have the auxiliary bases declared excess.

Government to Give 86 Farms to Veterans in West

Klamath Falls, Ore., Dec. 18 (AP)—Eighty six irrigated farms reclaimed from the bed of what was once a great western lake are to be awarded today in the first government homestead land opening for World War 11 veterans.

Current land values in the area where the U. S. Reclamation Bureau acreage is located give the farms a total worth of about \$2,000,000.

Owners of the new farms will move into a district where fertility of the soil has been compared to the Delta of the Nile and neighbors of today's winners will be largely World War 1 (one) veterans who have prospered tilling the acres they won in similar drawings.

The individual farms are valued at \$15,000 to \$25,000 and the Reclamation Bureau officials have taken precautions to make the drawing foolproof. Numbers have been assigned to the 135 qualified participants and the numbers kept in a vault.

Olney Rudd, a World War 1 veteran and already a Tule Lake homesteader, will pick the capsules from a jar.

A total of 172 farmers will be drawn to assure an adequate number of alternates if any of the first 86 drawn are disqualified.

Veterans from 23 states are represented. Those qualified were chosen from among 2029 who applied before a September 15 deadline. The others were eliminated by failure to meet requirements of war service, farm experience and financial resources.

The irrigation district is one of the most prosperous in southern Oregon and northern California. The land lay under 25 feet of water in 1917. It was the bed of shallow Tule Lake which once covered about 100,000 acres on the Oregon and California border. The lake was drained, and unit by unit the acreage has been opened to home-steading by veterans.

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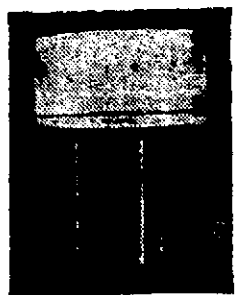
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8 glasses, tray, and chrome topped shaker. Modern sand-blasted "Tropical" design.

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- Coasters, set of 8.....\$1.39
Natural wood, in holder
Plastic Party Aprons
White with colored trim.
Women's size.....\$2.00
Girls' Size.....\$1.00

Leaves From Boyle's Notebook

By HAL BOYLE
New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Most young couples planning ahead for a family want a boy instead of a girl.

As an unprejudiced observer of the parenthood scene, this always has amazed me. I think the only thing harder to raise than a good boy is a baby gorilla with the mumps.

How long does a boy really belong to you? Five, maybe six years. Then for ten years he is a savage, and for the next five years after that a callow introvert with mental growing pains. And then he blossoms forth and belongs to the world—and to himself. But he really hasn't belonged to you since the day his first tooth was knocked out. He has only been hibernating.

So it has been since Adam and

his ex-rib got the eviction notice from Eden that began the world's housing shortage.

But you take a baby girl. Mr. and Mrs.—you got something! You don't find her playing hooky to go to a burlesque show, scrawling rude words on the sidewalk, or using telephone poles as duck pins for the family's only car.

By nature she becomes mother's helper to learn her own future trade of housewife, and she practices her childhood wiles on the old man, thus giving that misunderstood hero of the hearth the little attentions that mama gave him before she discovered he was a pretty good meal-ticket but a lousy understudy for Valentino.

But many modern parents are breaking up this age-old normal pattern, and in these families little sister is growing up in the image of junior. As a result the American schoolrooms are being cluttered with a bunch of mop-haired

teen-age girls who resemble something that crawled out of a Dali painting in bobby socks. They look and act—down to the last feather—like old Chief Sitting Bull working himself up for another bender against the palefaces.

Now if I had a daughter— Without turning her into a clothes horse, I would teach her that the most abominable sight in the eyes of civilized man—and a big cause of divorce—is a sloppy, untidy woman.

I would give her the back of the hairbrush if she ever screeched or yammered. I'd give her as a goal Shakespeare's Cordelia: "Her voice was ever sweet and low." I would make only one exception—when she laughed. A woman with a real belly laugh can shake a king's heart, and certainly will never die an old maid.

As soon as her fingers were nimble, I'd have her taught how to cook and to sew her own clothes. I'd see that she learned something of art and music and how to paddle a canoe and put on a bandage.

I'd make her wear her hair in braids until we both got tired of it. But the day she cut her hair short she would become her mother's daughter—not mine.

I'd let her go out on her first date alone during her third year in high school, and I'd pray that the young ape who escorted her had buck teeth. (Don't spread your wings all at once, baby, you have to fly a long way.)

I'd want her to be as feminine as Eve and as witty as Becky Sharp. I'd hope to Halifax everybody thought she was pretty and nobody ever convinced her she was beautiful.

I would never want her to look forward to any permanent career except marriage. But I'd insist she be able to earn her own living at something. Preferably being a private secretary. No other job so enlightens women on how helpless men really are. And, besides, it's good training for organizing and running a house. And, besides that, I think a woman who has worked in business appreciates more fully the pleasures of staying home.

I'd give my consent—a lot that would probably matter—to her marrying anybody except a man who drank every day. But I'd encourage her to marry the nicest rich man she could fall in love with.

After all the dough and worry she cost me, I should have something to look forward to in my old age besides social security.

Flashes of Life Sketched in Brief

Coincidence

Kansas City, Dec. 18 (AP)—Two expectant fathers, Owen R. Davison and G. E. Harvey, compared notes to cool their nerves while waiting outside the hospital delivery room.

They discovered: Both had sons aged 5 and 3, and both wanted the third child to be a daughter. Their conversation was interrupted when a nurse informed Davison he was the parent of a red-haired girl. Ten minutes later Harvey learned that he, too, had a daughter—also a red-head.

Sweet Freedom Song

Crown Point, Ind., Dec. 18 (AP)—Alvin Mitchell, 20, convicted of burglary of a store, was granted permission by Judge William J. Murray in criminal court yesterday to sing a song before sentence was passed.

In a rich baritone voice Mitchell, negro shoemaker and choir singer, sang "Silent Night," and as the spectators in the courtroom remained quiet followed with "Ave Maria."

"It would be a shame to deprive your people of a voice like that on Christmas Day," Judge Murray said as he placed the youth on probation for three years after imposing a sentence of one to five years in prison.

"But," the judge said, "if you ever break into another store it will be me, and not you, who does the singing, and you won't like the song."

Heads Jewish Groups

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Rabbi William F. Rosenblum of Temple Israel, New York, has been elected president of the Synagogue Council of America, representing the six rabbinic and lay groups of the orthodox, conservative and reform Jewry in the United States. He was announced yesterday. He succeeds Dr. Isaac Landman, who died September 3.

Reader Service

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Your youngster will yahoo with joy at receiving a beautiful handmade Navaho rug for his room. He'll be doubly delighted when you tell him it was woven just as the American Indians weave theirs. Brown, henna and natural, or graduated shades of blue make attractive color combinations. And it's simple to make your own loom, using left-over pieces of lumber. Once your Navaho rug is finished, you can re-use the loom for weaving a handsome Colonial rag rug or Oriental style rug.

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Directors of Eastern Tractor Manufacturing Corp. of Kingston for the ensuing year are J. J. Carroll, J. T. Carroll, H. W. Cosgrove, K. L. Hickock and W. H. Adams, according to an announcement made today by the president of the firm, J. J. Carroll. Election was held last Saturday.

Union Center Program
Union Center School District 4 will present a Christmas program on Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the schoolhouse, under the direction of the teacher, Theresa C. DeWitt. Santa will distribute gifts to the pupils. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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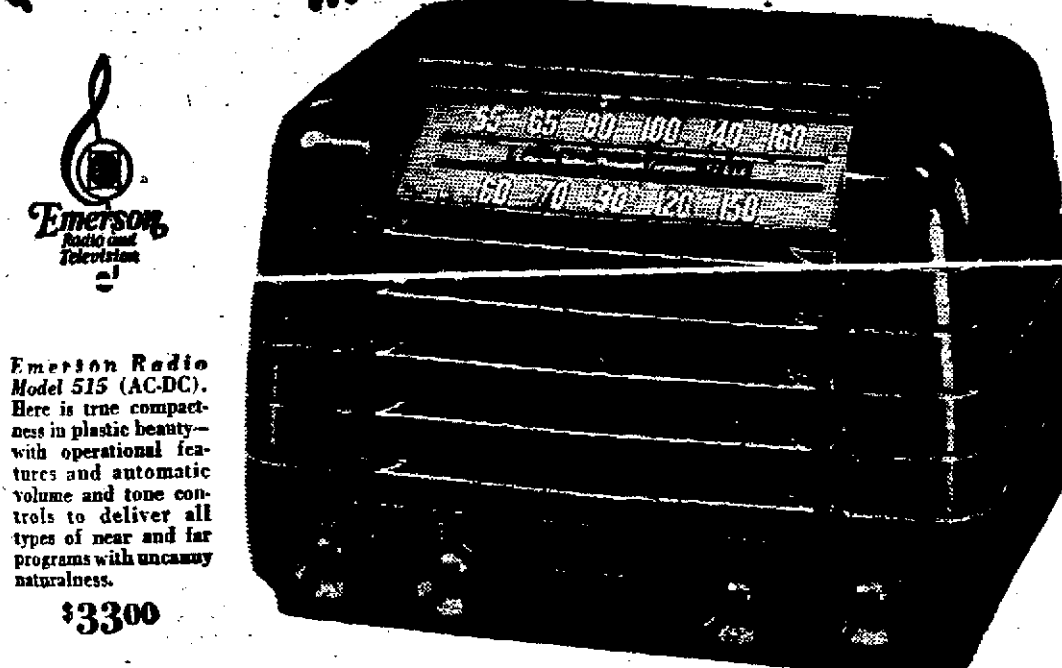
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SINGER—Gail Meredith of Saskatoon, Sask., in the United States for singing engagements, was chosen by New York night club owners as "Miss Supper Club."

Redeployment

(By The Associated Press)
More than 450 service personnel and 146 war brides and children are due to depart from three vessels today at U. S. ports.

Arrivals:
At New York—Gen. George W. Goethals from Bremerhaven with 37 troops and 146 war brides and children.
At San Francisco—Marine Jumper from Jinsen with 115 troops, 17 navy personnel; Gen. William F. Hase, no port given, 299 troops.

123 Japs Convicted

Yokohama, Dec. 18 (AP)—The trials of minor Japanese war criminals accused of prison camp atrocities passed the one year mark today with 123 defendants convicted and four acquitted, the U. S. Eighth Army reported.

Universal Stockholders

A meeting of stockholders of Universal Road Machinery Company will be held at the concern's office to elect directors and inspectors of election, Monday, January 13, at noon.

Bank Master Stowaway

Port authorities at Adelaide fined Frankie Heathwaite, 42-year-old dance band leader of Liverpool, \$80 when he arrived in Australia as a stowaway on the liner The mistocles. He said he could not get passage and wanted to get to New Zealand to see his sick sister. He walked aboard, mingled with the passengers, slept for six weeks in men's washrooms and fed on scraps from the dining room after passengers had finished their meals.

Sumatra is more than three times as large as Java, but has fewer than one sixth as many people.

Increased Sugar Ration Next Year

Improved World Situation Means More Sugar

More sugar will sweeten next year's cake and coffee than this year's if crops come up to expectations.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson has told consumers that there will be enough sugar to increase rations next year barring unpredictable disasters. This increase would mean a five-pound consumer sugar stamp by April 1, 1947. In addition, industrial users—makers of cake, canned foods, and other products—would get an increase of 10 per cent of the 1941 base period use.

Sugar may even be available to warrant further increases later in the year, the secretary said.

However, during the first three months of next year, consumer ration levels and the industrial

ration levels will probably remain the same as during the past three months, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced. The sugar allocation for civilian distribution for this period totals 1,260,000 short tons, raw value. During the same period in 1946 sugar disappearance totaled 1,185,000 short tons, raw value. But population is greater and many industrialists are using sugar at a higher rate than during the first three months of 1946. Thus individual sugar consumption will show no increase during this period.

Increases due after April would be the result of an improved world sugar situation. Beet sugar in Europe is expected to yield from 30 to 40 per cent more than last year. North America may produce something over a million more tons than in 1945-46.

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President's Council To Advise Public On Economic Stand

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—The White House planned to make public today (4 p. m. Eastern Standard Time) the first annual report of the President's Economic Advisory Council, recommending ways to keep national employment, production and purchasing power at high levels.

The document is required under the Employment Act of 1946, which created the three-member advisory body to study and report economic trends and recommend beneficial, federal action, legislative and otherwise.

The council is headed by Dr. Edwin C. Nourse, former economist of the Brookings Institution, Washington. The vice chairman, Leon Keyserling, was formerly general counsel of the National Housing Agency, and John D. Clark, the third member, is a former corporation official and dean of the University of Nebraska Business School.

The public report will contain only generalized recommendations for accomplishing the act's avowed purpose, of creating "conditions under which there will be afforded useful employment opportunities, including self-employment, for those able, willing and seeking to work."

The council's specific legislative proposals are being delivered to Mr. Truman in confidential form. These, together with today's broad review of the job and production outlook, will form the bases of Mr. Truman's economic report to the 80th Congress.

The report has stated, will be delivered after his state-of-the-union and budget messages in January. It will be turned over to a new House-Senate joint committee on the economic report. This group will develop such specific measures as it sees fit, for presentation to both Houses by February 1.

Deaths Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Mrs. Constance Garrett, Edenbridge, England—Mrs. Constance Garrett, 84, translator of many Russian writers, including Tolstoy, Gogol, Dostoyevsky and Turgenyev.

Rev. Ferdinand A. Moeller, Milford, Ohio—The Rev. Ferdinand A. Moeller, S.J., 95, reportedly the oldest Jesuit priest in the United States and founder of the Catholic Deaf Mute Conference. He was born in Cincinnati.

R. E. (Dick) Pfennig, Chicago—R. E. (Dick) Pfennig, 58, vice president in charge of eastern operations of United Air Lines and a pioneer in aviation. He was born in Hessen, Germany.

George Henry Hines, Los Angeles—George Henry Hines, 60, associated with about business for nearly 50 years before his retirement in 1921. He was born in Panola, Ill.

Arrives for Concerts, Frankfurt, Dec. 18 (AP)—Marjorie Lawrence, Metropolitan Opera soprano, arrived here today by plane from Paris for a concert tour of occupied Germany, during which she will sing at five concerts for American troops.

Negro Is Captured, New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—A man identified as Leroy Wilson, 33, a Negro, of 975 Union avenue, the Bronx, was wounded seriously and captured by police early today after a 75-mile-an-hour auto chase down Sedgwick avenue, the Bronx.

AT C.I.O. WAGE MEETING



Philip Murray, (center) C.I.O. president, confers with Albert J. Fitzgerald, (left) head of the United Electrical Radio & Machine Workers, and Walter P. Reuther, United Auto Workers president, at the C.I.O.'s wage and policy meeting in Pittsburgh. (AP Wirephoto)

U.A.W. Will Make Survey of Strike Funds in Nation

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—The C.I.O. United Auto Workers, which will begin contract negotiations with the principal auto manufacturers shortly, initiated today a survey of strike funds and other financial resources in the hands of its locals throughout the nation. The survey was authorized yesterday by the U.A.W. executive board and was announced after a meeting by George Addes, union secretary-treasurer, who said the resources of the local units were expected to total "a few million dollars."

He told a news conference that the international itself had approximately \$400,000 in its treasury as compared to the \$1,500,000 it had before its long strike against General Motors last year.

The union now is spending \$120,000 monthly from its strike fund, a revolving fund with a current balance of \$123,000, Addes said.

Asked if the survey was in anticipation of a major strike which would find the union in a weak position, Addes said: "I would hate to predict what the future holds. We have a lot of strikes on our hands at the present time, and we want to know how much help we can expect from the locals in financing them."

Addes said the average membership of the U.A.W. during October and November was 814,442 dues paying members, a gain of 200,000 over the average for July, adding that this did not include workers on strike or in the armed forces. He estimated "potential membership" at 1,000,000 to 1,200,000.

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City Takes Steps To Protect Guests In Gotham Hotels

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—A local law requiring all New York city hotels to maintain "fire wardens" on a 24-hour basis and also to install emergency loudspeaker systems on all floors has been proposed in the City Council by Vice-Chairman Joseph T. Sharkey.

Under the proposal the hotel would employ the wardens who would have to qualify for their jobs in examinations conducted by the fire department and the department of housing and buildings.

The proposal, which was re-

ferred to the council's committee on general welfare, also would make it unlawful for hotels to advertise their structures as fire-proof without authorization by the two municipal agencies.

Fliers Will Fish

Allied fliers stationed in Japan are to have fishing nets so they can man the fleet of small boats available and provide fresh fish for their messes. Some 2,000 pounds of vegetable seeds also have been earmarked for distribution to aviation stations, and fliers will supervise gardening worked by Japanese labor. Squadron Leader B. Saunders, of Kai-gorie, Australia, is credited with these plans to improve the men's diet.

Approximately 55,000 persons die a year from tuberculosis in the United States.

Ponckhockie Church Broadcasts Yule Hymns

The new amplifying system in the belfry of the Ponckhockie Congregational Church used each evening at 5 o'clock to broadcast Christmas hymns will send out special music on Christmas and New Year's eve.

Many comments from persons of various faiths have been received about the broadcasts, the Rev. O. Phillips, pastor of the Abryn street church said. Every Sunday morning there is a sacred concert from 10:30 to 11 o'clock.

The choir of the church will broadcast carols direct from the auditorium of the edifice on Christmas eve, and on New Year's eve the Christian Endeavor senior and junior choirs will sing over the system at midnight.

Gravel Pit Reveals No New Slant in Paula Welden Case

Bennington, Vt., Dec. 18 (AP)—The disappearance of Paula Welden, pretty 18-year-old Bennington College sophomore, was as much a mystery as ever today after excavation of a gravel pit failed to turn up a clue that she might have been entombed there.

A report that a girl had been seen near the pit on December 1, the day that the Stamford, Conn., student vanished, touched off digging operations.

More than 500 tons of gravel were removed from a section of the pit where a landslide was re-

ported to have occurred on the day the young sophomore left Bennington College campus. Witnesses had reported seeing a young woman running up a knoll near the pit on that day.

States Attorney William Traversa Jerome, Jr., said he did not know what steps would be taken next. He reported that all clues investigated thus far had been eliminated.

The girl's father, W. Archibald Welden, an industrial engineer, was scheduled to return here again today to consult investigators.

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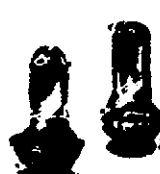


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OFFICE CAT
Some folks may be wondering where their next landlord is coming from, and some may deserve to be left wondering.

Gaffer—Sorry to be so late, boys. I was really a tussle-up whether I should come to the club or stay at the office—and I had to toss 15 times.

You can sometimes tell a mule from a man by the fact that the mule usually has a good reason for its kicking.

Chaplain (calling upon soldiers in the guard house)—Is there any way in which I can be helpful to you men? If so, I wish you'd tell me.

Prisoner—Yes, sir. Leave the door open as you go out.

Favorite Extremities
The feet I know my own the best, they're so big and slow they give me lots of rest.

—Mrs. Joe McCord

Judge—You are appearing as a witness in this case. Were you present at the beginning of the trouble between your friend and his wife?

Witness—Sure, Judge. I was a witness at their wedding.

A Knoxville, Tenn., lawyer broke a hand when he slammed it on a table during a courtroom argument.

A young man appeared at the country judge's desk and asked for a license.

Country Judge—What kind of license, son, a hunting license?

Young Man—Nope, I've been hunting long enough. Make it a marriage license.

A statistician says the average husband has a larger vocabulary than the average wife. His stock

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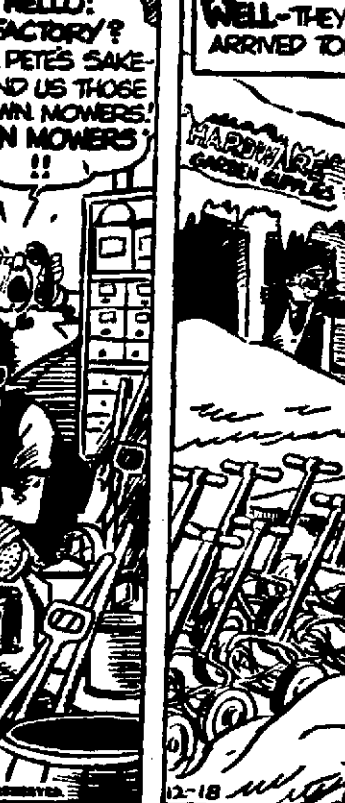
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ALL SUMMER LONG THE STORE WAITED FOR A SHIPMENT OF LAWN MOWERS—

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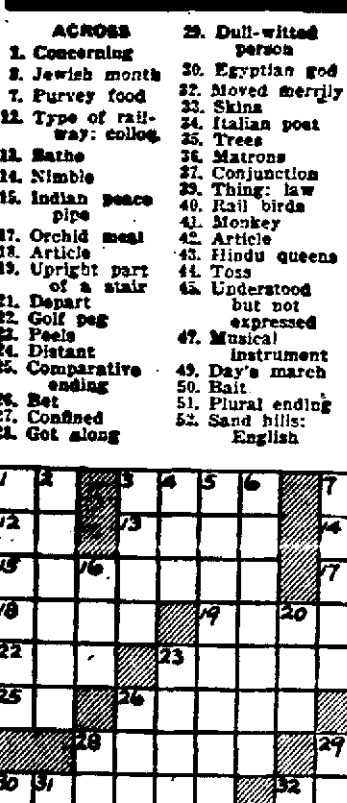
WELL—THEY FINALLY ARRIVED TODAY—

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LOCAL BUS BULLETIN

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Table with bus routes and schedules for Kingston, Newburgh, and other local areas.

may be larger, but his turnover is considerably smaller.

A candidate was canvassing constituents. He explained his opinions to one housewife, a newcomer to the district, and ended by saying:

Candidate—Well, madam, those are my views and I am hoping this constituency will return me.

Housewife (sadly)—Some hopes you've got, mister. Although I ain't lived here long, I can tell you the people here never return anything.

You can't shift responsibility without paying a fat price.

A sheep, a duck, and a rooster were the first living creatures to fly in a man-made craft at Ver-

years ago. This trio were placed in a specially constructed wicker cage suspended from a large hot-air balloon. Cut loose, the gas bag ascended to about 1,400 feet, drifted two miles or so, and landed at the edge of a woods. Its occupants were none the worse for their aerial voyage.

After terrific struggles, the freshman finally finished his examination paper, looked it over sadly, then wrote at the end:

Professor—If you sell any of my answers to the funny papers, I expect you to split fifty-fifty with me.

Wife (to late returning husband)—Is that you, John?

Husband—It better be.

Putting friendly advice together,

the cheapest way to cure a cold is to buy a drug store.

She—Your kisses are like a popular drink.

He—Powerful?

She—No, old-fashioned.

Sure, we don't need half what we make to take care of ourself, but we can't think only of ourself, nor can any other civilized person.

She—Thanks for the hug.

He—Oh, the pressure was all mine.

Everybody would like to turn the clock back a couple of decades.

Childbirth is one of the main causes of death among Eskimos.

DONALD DUCK



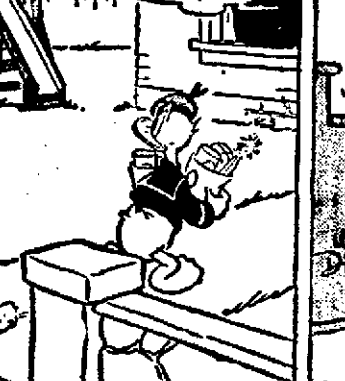
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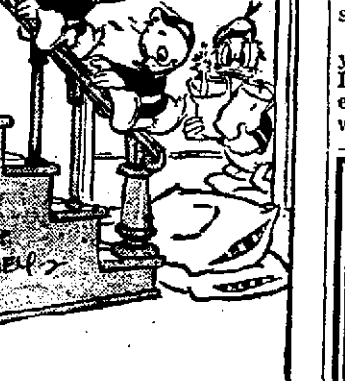
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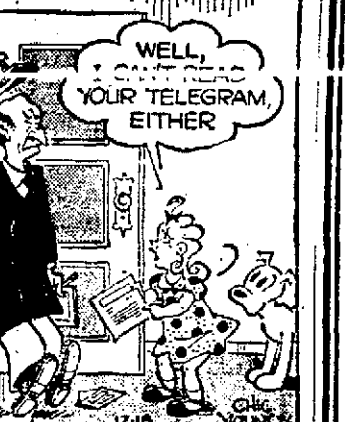
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UNION CENTER

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Union Center, Dec. 17—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil DePuy of New Paltz visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Schultz Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Schulte have returned to New York city for the winter.

Sunday at 3:30 the Rev. Robert Baines will deliver a Christmas sermon.

The following officers for the year of 1947 were elected at the Ladies' Aid Society Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Saqui: President, Mrs. Nor-

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Large table containing detailed bus schedules for various routes including Kingston, Newburgh, and other local areas.

Nation Gets Preview of '47 Wheat Production Outlook

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—The nation gets today a preview of 1947 winter wheat production prospects which may tell farmers, traders and the government whether they will have to deal with a domestic surplus of the bread grain.

The indicated production of winter wheat, which makes up about three-fourths of the nation's wheat production, will come from the Agriculture Department's crop reporting board after the grain markets close.

The 1946 winter wheat crop was larger in volume than the 1935-44 average production of both winter and spring wheat combined. It totaled 873,893,000 bushels compared with a ten-year average of 618,019,000.

Meanwhile, in its final report on this year's crop production, the department said yesterday the output—as was previously estimated—was the largest and best in history.

Reflecting a fairly large harvested acreage, high yields per acre and a favorable growing season, aggregate production was 26 per cent above the pre-drought

(1922-32) average, 7 points above last year and two points above the previous record of 1942.

Record crops of corn, wheat, rice, potatoes, peaches, pears, plums, and truck crops were produced. Near-record production was reported for oats, peanuts and grapes, while better-than-average outturns were reported for hay, sorghum grains, popcorn, dry peas, sweet potatoes, apples, prunes, apricots, hops, sugar cane and sugar beets.

The only below-average crops were cotton, barley, rye, flaxseed, buckwheat, broomcorn, dry beans, cowpeas, pecans and maple products.

The department said yields per acre set new records for corn, potatoes and tobacco. Virtually all crops yielded above average except cotton, rice, rye and peanuts.

Whole Community Joins In Fighting \$25,000 Fire

Binger, Okla., Dec. 18 (AP)—Six hundred of this town's 860 citizens fought side-by-side with firemen in a battle to save their community from a fire last night which destroyed a general merchandise store and the Binger theatre.

Fire departments from nearby Anadarko and Hinton, Okla., aided the local volunteer unit. When the fire appeared to be getting out of control, the residents joined in the fight with wet sacks, garden hose and mops. Damage was estimated at \$25,000.

Kaplan's Open Evenings

Beginning this evening, Kaplan's downtown furniture store will remain open until 9 o'clock during the Christmas season to give late shoppers an opportunity to shop evenings. Similar shopping hours for stores in other business sections of the city recently were announced.

To clean black or dark blue felt, use a teaspoon of ammonia mixed with half a cup of cold tea.

'DRIVE SAFELY,' THE SIGN SAYS



In front of a Pennsylvania state highway safety sign lies the wreckage of two motorcars which collided on a road near Lancaster. A 17-year-old youth was critically injured in the car on the right. (AP Wirephoto)

Midwest Shivers In Coldest Wave; Is Headed East

(By The Associated Press)

The Middle West shivered again today in sub-zero and below freezing temperatures as the season's severest cold wave lingered over a wide area and headed for the Middle Atlantic and New England states.

Below zero temperatures extended from eastern Montana across North Dakota and into Minnesota, Wisconsin and upper Michigan. The mass of cold air was expected to move into the eastern section tonight with sharp drops in temperatures by tomorrow morning. Readings of near and below zero were forecast for New England.

The mercury in many midwest cities hit the low mark for the season today, with Pembina, N.D., the coldest spot on the early morning weather map with a reading of 10 below. Chicago's six above was the coldest weather since last winter.

Although falls of snow averaged two to nine inches over the northern sections of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, no new heavy falls were forecast for either the midwest or in the New England area.

British Mission Studies Coalition Possibilities

London, Dec. 18 (AP)—An authoritative government source said today that members of the British diplomatic mission to Spain had been examining the possibility of whether a coalition government could be established in Spain to replace the Franco regime and carry on until elections could be held.

The source, who declined to be quoted by name, said the examination included talks with representative groups of Spaniards ranging from "the right wing centrists to the left wing centrists."

Asked whether activities of this kind by a diplomatic mission were not unusual, the spokesman said that British relationships with Spain were so unusual that it made little difference.

The spokesman declared that while he could not speak for the United States government it would not surprise him if the U. S. were examining the situation in Spain in the same way.

The informant did not discuss the method by which an end to the Franco regime might be accomplished should Britain be satisfied that a stable interim government could be set up within Spain.

Installed as Chaplain
At the annual meeting of Rondout Lodge, 343, F. & A. M., Monday evening, the Rev. Herbert Kilmer, popular pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, was elected and installed chaplain for 1947.

The Temperature
The lowest temperature registered at the city engineer's office last night was 34 degrees, at 7 o'clock this morning. High for Tuesday was 44 degrees at 3 p. m.

Alaskan Commander



Maj. Gen. H. A. Craig (above) was named by President Truman to head the Alaskan Command in the plan to establish unity of command for U. S. Armed Forces overseas.

County Legion Will Meet in Highland High School at 8

The regular monthly meeting of the Ulster County American Legion will be held in Highland High School at 8 o'clock tonight. County Commander Thomas Bohan requests the presence of all delegates and extends a cordial invitation to all members of the Legion.

Topics of interest to be discussed will be the County Legion oratorical contest on Americanism, plans for which have been completed by County Chairman Donald G. Moore. It is also expected that there will be a speaker present to explain reinstatement and conversion rights now offered to veterans under the new National Service Life Insurance rulings.

Queen Victoria's 68-year reign was the longest in British history.



Merry Christmas

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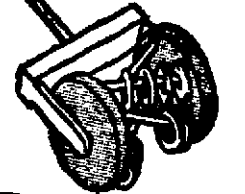
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Judge Denies Bail For Alvin J. Paris In View of 'Danger'

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—General Sessions Judge Francis L. Valente today denied bail for Alvin J. Paris, indicted on charges of attempting to bribe two players to throw last Sunday's championship football game between the Chicago Bears and New York Giants, because "the release of the defendant on bail at this time may be fraught with grave danger to him."

In a prepared statement the judge said he was "satisfied from the testimony of high-ranking police officials at a hearing attended by the defendant's counsel, and from all other circumstances presented" that Paris' release on bail would put the defendant in danger. Assistant District Attorney George P. Monaghan said yesterday in asking that bail be denied that a telephone threat against Paris' life had been received by a member of the police department.

The judge said he also had examined the grand jury minutes, the signed statement made by Paris Sunday morning, and a transcript of "pertinent telephone conversations in which the defendant participated."

During the brief proceeding before the judge announced his decision, Caesar Barra, attorney for Paris, said the defendant's sick mother was available to assure the court that if the defendant was released on bail he would return home and would not be molested.

Democrats' Plan

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Democratic party's legislative members intend to follow "a well-rounded, progressive and militant plan" in the coming legislative session, based on the platform outlined in the last gubernatorial campaign. This was announced yesterday by Paul E. Fitzpatrick, party state chairman, after a meeting with Democratic state legislators. Fitzpatrick said the program, while not yet ready, would include legislation on housing, veterans' aid, teacher salary increases, additional aid to municipalities and rent control.

Demand Allied Purge

London, Dec. 18 (AP)—Moscow radio said today that Yugoslavia had demanded an allied purge of "Nazi elements" within the present government of Austria prior to conclusion of any peace treaty with that country. "Austria has not yet taken the path of democracy," the broadcast said, quoting remarks of a foreign office spokesman at a press conference yesterday in Belgrade.

Saves Child's Life

Rome, Dec. 18 (AP)—Eighteen-month-old Pierfranco Vittorini crawled yesterday to a ledge of his parents' sixth-floor apartment and plunged while a people screamed into the sturdy arms of Domenico Ferris, quick-thinking fruit vendor. Ferris made a nice catch, bending at the knees and bringing the child to a full stop with no more injury than a squashed ankle.

Postal Holiday Called Off

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—Mail carriers and other postal workers whose jobs are in the actual handling of mail will not get the Christmas Eve half holiday ordered by President Truman for most federal employees. An order from Postmaster General Harbo points to the volume of mail being handled and says there can be no suspension.

Papal Yule Broadcast

Vatican City, Dec. 18 (AP)—Pope Pius XII will receive cardinals and prelates of the Roman Curia Tuesday, December 24, and give a Christmas broadcast to the world at the time. The Pope's message will be broadcast by Vatican radio on 31.06 and 19.87 meters, beginning at 5 a. m. (E.S.T.).

Mixture Effective

Cleveland, Dec. 18 (AP)—Penicillin mixed with hemoglobin, the red coloring matter of human blood, is curing wounds and sores where nothing else succeeds, not even pure penicillin, it was reported to the American College of Surgeons today.

Rise Seen for Chocolates

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Chocolate bars have already gone up in price, but they may go much higher in the next few months, because the price of cocoa beans has jumped approximately 180 percent in the past two months, trade sources said today.

The first public coffee house was opened at Oxford, England, in 1650.

Rush at Post Offices



Parcel post and stamp windows at the main post office and at the uptown and downtown stations will remain open until 8 p. m. tonight, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday. All windows will be closed Sunday and the regular closing hours will be observed on Tuesday, December 24, William R. Kraft, local postmaster has announced.

Edward Murphy, postal clerk at the main post office is one of the many busy postal employees during the holidays. (Freeman Photo)

Bilbo Secretary Tells of Threat

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Jackson, if the senator had any objections to Terry testifying.

"No," Jackson said, "we do not. Senator Bilbo waives any privilege. As far as Senator Bilbo is concerned, Mr. Terry may testify fully concerning any matter whatsoever."

Terry, speaking softly and slowly, told the investigating group that he now is in the lumber business at Meridian, Miss., and Lakeland, Fla. He said he served as secretary to Bilbo for seven years, until January 21 of this year.

Fired Terry in 1945
Bilbo has said he fired Terry December 15, 1945.

Terry disclosed that from September 7 until October 9 in 1942 he did not act as secretary because of a dispute with Bilbo over a minor appointment.

Bilbo urged him to return, he said, and he remained on the payroll during the dispute. Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) interposed that this was a period when important war contracts had been negotiated in Mississippi.

Terry said Bilbo asked him "who in the hell is United States senator" when they argued about the minor appointment.

"I told the senator to take his senatorial secretaryship and go to hell, got my coat and walked out," the witness testified.

Working extra hours in the hope of winding up testimony by tonight, the investigating committee also expected to call Bilbo today.

German Girl in Bilge

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Crewmen of the Marine Robin, pumping out the bilges of the army transport shortly after it docked at its Staten Island berth, found a 21-year-old blonde German girl today. Taken into custody by immigration authorities, she identified herself as Gisela Scheinplugg and said she had secreted herself on the ship before it left Bremerhaven 11 days ago. The girl told authorities she drove a tank for the Wehrmacht during the German invasion of Poland and Russia.

Heavy Earthquake

Eureka, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP)—The heaviest earthquake in 14 years shook this coastal area of northern California at 9:21 a. m. (Eastern Standard Time) today. Light fixtures swayed and dishes rattled but no damage was reported.

F.D.R. Assistant Indicted

Baltimore, Dec. 18 (AP)—Eugene B. Casey, one of the late President Roosevelt's six executive assistants during the war, was under a Federal Grand Jury indictment today charging he evaded income taxes in the amount of \$70,384.

Meeting on Coal

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—Several members of the bituminous coal operators negotiating committee are expected to meet here for an informal discussion tomorrow of the industry's current labor position.

Late News Summary

WASHINGTON — Edward P. Terry, former secretary to Senator Bilbo (D-Miss.) testified Bilbo told him a 1940 election campaign debt would be paid by Mississippi war contractors.

NEW BERRY, S. C.—Nine children and driver of school bus killed and 12 other children were injured in collision of school bus and a Southern Railway passenger train at Silverstreet.

LAKE SUCCESS—United States to propose U. N. Security Council name committee to make on-the-spot investigations of conditions on both sides of Greek frontier, subject of Greek charges against Albania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia.

WASHINGTON—Harold S. Stassen, former Minnesota governor, enters race for 1948 Republican presidential nomination on immediate platform of changing Wagner Labor Relations Act.

WHITE SANDS, N. M.—German V-2 rocket soars to record 111 miles into the sky, establishes new speed of more than a mile a second.

Seeks Resignation

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 18 (AP)—A resolution calling for the resignation of Dr. William S. Carpenter, president of the State Civil Service Commission, will be considered today at the closing session of the 68th annual convention of the New Jersey State Federation of Labor.

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New York City Produce Market

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New York spot quotations follow: (Based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers.) Whites: extras, 1 and 2 large, min. 60-80 per cent "A" 45 lbs. Midwest 50-54; nearby 50-54; extras 1 medium, min. 80 per cent "A" min. 40 lbs. Midwest 48-49; nearby 51. Browns: (Minimum quality and weight requirements are same as those specified in whites.) Extras, 1 and 2 large, Midwest 47.5-51; nearby 49-52; extras 1 medium, Midwest 46.5-47; nearby 47.5-48.

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Alexander was injured when he leaped from a third floor window, and Lennon fell in an attempt to reach the outside wall of the building from his third floor apartment.

Firemen, estimating the damage at \$40,000, sought to determine the origin of the flames which they said apparently started in the lower part of the building.

The Trainers
News of Interest to Fraternal Organizations

Women of the Moose will hold their regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. A social hour will follow the meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Tappan Camp 1, Sons of Union Veterans, will meet this evening for its Christmas festival with exchange of presents.

A regular meeting of Camp 30, P. O. of A., will be held this evening in the lodge rooms, corner Broadway and Brewster street, at 8 o'clock. The annual Christmas party and a covered dish supper will follow. All members are urged to attend.

The regular meeting of Judea Shrine No. 12 Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem will be held in the Masonic Temple Thursday at

War Heroine Now Typical College Girl at Vassar

By JO ANNE LEWIS
AP Newfeatures

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—If you were to see Maria Gulovich streaking for an 8:15 class, or crowding into the post office for the morning mail along with several hundred other Vassar girls, you wouldn't guess that she was a heroine of World War II.

She's an extraordinarily attractive girl, with red-gold hair, blue eyes, and a soft Czechoslovakian accent very easy on the ears, but she would be the last person to tell you about her narrow escape from German occupation troops in Czechoslovakia, or about how she helped save the lives of four Americans, or how she got the bronze star at West Point "for valor." She doesn't talk much about herself.

Maria (her friends call her Mickey) was born in Litmanova in Czechoslovakia. She graduated from the Teachers' Training School in 1940 and joined the Slovak underground movement as soon as she graduated.

While working for the underground she kept a teaching school, and in July of 1944, when asked to do liaison work, she found that her job afforded an excellent excuse for travel. She simply explained to train officials that she was a teacher, and was going to such and such a town to look for a new position. In this way, she carried a good deal of valuable information around the country. Very young and very pretty, she never was suspected of subterfuge.

This worked beautifully until August 28, 1944, when the army rounded her up. There were 38 Americans at the underground headquarters in Slovakia, in connection with an O.S.S. mission. They taught Maria English, and she became their guide and interpreter. Joe Morton, the AP war correspondent who died in Slovakia, was one of the 38.

By the end of October, after two months of ferocious fighting, the 30,000 Slovak soldiers were forced to retreat before 150,000 Germans. The 38 Americans, with Maria and what was left of the Slovak army, went up into the mountains. They had thought that the Russians were near, and had planned to stay in the mountains about three weeks. They were there for three months—November, December and January. They were attacked during the first two days, and lost all their generals.

For the first few weeks, it rained steadily. None had dry clothes. They spoke only in whispers, and watched out for twigs which might crackle if stepped on.

It was Maria's job to go to the village for food. Sometimes she had a couple of men with her, but usually she went alone. The village was a good ten hours' walk each way, through territory liberally sprinkled with Germans. And it would have been hard to run, with the bundle of food strapped to her back. But Maria was lucky. She never got caught.

Then the snow started; 83 partisans froze to death; many of the others got badly frozen feet. The Germans blockaded the village, and Maria was unable to get down for food. On November 10, they attacked. Most of the Slovak army and six Americans were captured. Then, 17 Americans, trying to find a safe place for the group to stay, were caught. The rest went down the other side of the mountain, moving slowly because of their frozen feet. A partisan group of 100 men, near a village put them up for a while. There were 15 Americans, two Slovak boys, and Maria, all sleeping in a room somewhat smaller than the single she now occupies at Vassar. This was the first time in nearly a month that they had slept in a room with a floor.

A few days later, they found a good-sized house farther up the mountain. There they spent Thanksgiving and somehow man-



aged to get hold of some geese and a small pig. Maria, as chief cook, made upon request an apple pie for the Americans. They pronounced it better than any they had ever tasted at home. One of them composed a prayer, and in the midst of all the uncertainty and waiting, they had an American holiday.

Twice more they moved as the Germans closed in. Finally 11 Americans, including Joe Morton and the two Czech boys, were captured. Maria and the four remaining Americans started for the Russian lines, and arrived in Hungary on January 23. From there they went to Italy and Austria.

Maria went back to Czechoslovakia for a last visit with her family before going to America. General William J. Donovan had arranged for her to have a scholarship to Vassar. She arrived in February and in May she went to West Point to receive the Bronze Star.

Now she is at Vassar, majoring in economics. She wears sweaters and skirts and loafers, and looks like a typical American college girl. But if you look closely, you can see lines around her mouth and, every once in awhile, a far-away look in her eyes.

Woman Passenger Robbed by Driver

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Police reported that Pearl Faighes, 23, of 1064 Nelson avenue, the Bronx, was robbed of \$11 early today when the driver of a cab in which she was riding forced her to hand over the money at the point of a knife.

Miss Faighes told police she hailed the cab, driven by a negro, at West 107th street and Broadway and told him to drive to her home. Instead he drove north on Seventh avenue to West 155th street where he drew a knife and demanded her money.

The driver then tried to push her from the cab. Miss Faighes struggled with him, suffering a cut left thumb and bruises about the neck, before the driver fled in the cab.

Police said the license number of the cab, as given by Miss Faighes, corresponded with that of a cab stolen yesterday in the Times Square section.

Western Railroaders Plan System-Wide Strike

Denver, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers went forward today with plans for a system-wide strike on the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad at 6 p. m. tomorrow.

Railroad officials said the chief effect of a strike would be on the lean coalfields of Colorado and Utah, the two states in which the line operates.

B. M. Alvord, national union vice president, said the strike was called after negotiations since November 4 failed to produce agreements on a "long docket of grievances and time claims." Wages are not an issue.

District Attorney Speaks to City's New Police Officers

At the second session, Tuesday, of the police school being conducted mornings at police headquarters, this week and next, for instruction of eight newly appointed members of the force, the time was given over to District Attorney Louis G. Bruhn, who gave what it reported to have been a very excellent talk.

The district attorney discussed the duties of a police officer, the qualities that make for a good officer, what should be his attitude toward the public and the relationship between the police department and the district attorney's office. He also touched upon certain crimes with which the police are concerned most frequently, such as burglary, larceny, robbery, assault, etc., explained the different degrees of each and some of the law governing them.

District Attorney Bruhn impressed upon the men the fact that the thoroughness of their work had much to do with making the work of the district attorney's office easier and helping in the successful prosecution of criminals.

They were asked to get all possible information and prepare their cases carefully at the start, keeping in mind the six words, "Who, when, where, what and how." The importance of fingerprints and other evidence was stressed.

Lieut. William T. Roedel is in charge of the school for its fifth session this week. Next week Acting Captain Raymond Van Buren will have charge. January 1 the new officers will be assigned to regular duty.

Christmas Carols Rift Occurs in San Francisco

San Francisco, Dec. 18 (AP)—Does singing Christmas carols in schoolrooms violate the State Constitution?

The Civil Liberties Union wants to know and has asked the San Francisco School Board what about it.

Ernest Besig, Civil Liberties Union front man, raised the question, saying "mothers had protested that singing carols in classrooms is contrary to their home teachings."

California's State Constitution prohibits religious teaching in state supported schools.

Besig said one mother had complained about her child being told to kneel during a Roosevelt memorial ceremony. Another said her child had been in a religious pageant.

Alaska Is Undergoing Strict Geological Search

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Interior Department disclosed today it is making a thorough geological search to determine whether Alaska may be a source of atomic energy and the atom bomb.

Also under survey are Alaska's potentialities in oil, coal, gold and radium, and means of coping with the construction problem of volcanic activity and permafrost—the permanently frozen ground which underlies the territory.

Umstead Is Senator

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 18 (AP)—William B. Umstead, 51-year-old Durham attorney and a former member of the U. S. House of Representatives, is North Carolina's new senator. Gov. R. Gregg Cherry yesterday announced Umstead's appointment as a successor to the late Josiah W. Bailey, who died at his home here Sunday.

Woodstock Boy Scouts Receive Awards



Members of Woodstock Boy Scout Troop 34 were honored Monday night at an investiture and court of honor at Town Hall. Photographed at the affair, which also marked the annual Parents' Night program, were (front row, left to right) Frank Lapo, David Minor, Martin Blazy, Jr., Bernard Lapa, Jr., Eugene Hung, Jr., Fred Mower, Jr., Malcolm Carnright, Carl Constant and Paul Van Wagenen. In the back row are Clark Bell, Bruce Leonard, Edward Kinderman, Buras Wilber, Zane Zimmerman and Lauren Peters, Jr. (Freeman Photo)

Woodstock News

Woodstock Scouts Receive Awards At Parents' Night

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Parents' Night which was observed Monday at Town Hall drew an appreciative audience when members of Boy Scout Troop 34 held its investiture and court of honor.

The Rev. Edward Barry, of Phoenixia, addressed the Scouts during the program and used as topic, "Umpire in Life." Father Barry told the assemblage that there are good and bad umpires and the game is good or bad according to our decisions. The application of judgment to life is the same, he said, and he suggested that the boys remember always the things they have learned as Scouts.

Earl Allyn, assistant Scout Executive of the Ulster-Greene District, told of the interesting things which occurred at the recent regional meeting in New York.

The Silver Anniversary Award received by the Woodstock Troop was on display during the evening. The acknowledgment is in the form of a certificate. It was presented at the Phoenixia Western District meeting last week.

Merit Badges Awarded

Merit badges were given during the evening and the following were honored: Frank Lapo, David Minor, Martin Blazy, Jr., Bernard Lapa, Jr., Eugene Hung, Jr., and

Fred Mower, Jr. Stars were received by Malcolm Carnright and Paul Van Wagenen. Carl Constant was given his tenderfoot pin. Prizes were presented to Clark Bell, Bruce Leonard, Edward Kinderman, Buras Wilber, Zane Zimmerman and Lauren Peters, Jr.

Scout officials present at the reception were Scoutmaster Walter Van Wagenen and Assistant Scoutmasters Richard Brunson, Jr., Ronald Mower, Victor Schrader and Stephen Todd. Committee members attending were the Rev. Harvey I. Todd, chairman; Fred Toms, Fred Mower, Mervin Doremus, Clifford Carnright and George Braenday.

Community Carol Service Is Planned

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Plans were announced today for the annual Community Christmas Carol Sing on the Village Green at 6 p. m. on Christmas Eve.

The large Christmas tree which glows with lights every night was erected last week-end by Fennell Franchling.

Woodstock residents are asked to take part in the annual observance. The Rev. Harvey I. Todd is chairman of the event.

Reformed Church Party Planned for Saturday

Woodstock, Dec. 18—The Rev. Harvey I. Todd said today that plans have been completed for the

annual Reformed Church Christmas entertainment.

The party will be held at the church at 7:30 p. m. Saturday evening and will feature a pantomime showing the origin of Christmas carols.

Midnight Mass Announced

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Midnight Mass will be celebrated at St. Joan of Arc Church on Christmas Eve, it was said today. There will be special music.

Parties at School

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Special Christmas parties will be held by each room of the Woodstock Elementary School Friday morning, December 20. No classes will be held during the morning hours.

Home for Christmas

Woodstock, Dec. 18—Miss Evelyn Torres of Woodstock, daughter of Major Hendry Torres, will be home from Cincinnati Conservatory of Music for the holidays.

Will Fly Gifts to Alaska

Seattle, Dec. 18 (AP)—The dreary prospect of stockings hanging flat and empty before many Alaskan fireplaces Christmas morning was erased today when Seattle civic organizations announced plans to fly four tons of gifts to children of the territory long isolated by a maritime strike.

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OLD AMERICAN HABITS (No. 1)
Hostility toward displaced persons, refugees, and "dirty foreigners."
By Bill Marshall

Kingston Legion Enjoys Barbecue: Big Meeting Held

Post Will Sponsor Team in Basketball League; Winston Turns Over Fund

A largely attended meeting of Kingston Post, American Legion, last night, enjoyed a barbecued beef luncheon planned by Commander Ernest A. Steuding, after discussion of a membership drive to start presently, and voting to sponsor a team in the Ulster County American Legion Basketball League.

Preparations for the meal were made by Lester "Happy" Wolf, and Lester Barth, custodian of the Memorial Building, where the Legionnaires gathered for one of the most largely attended sessions of the post on record. The menu consisted of barbecued beef, French fried potatoes and other tidbits that went to make up a substantial and tasty repast.

Glennon Proposes Team

Larry Glennon, athletic officer of Kingston Post, advanced the proposition for the local Legion to participate in the County Basketball League. "We should be represented in this organization," he advised. "We have the players, men who can cope with clubs entered by other posts in Ulster."

Other Legion posts, besides Kingston with teams ready to compete are Saugerties, New Paltz, Wallkill, Highland and Marlborough.

Nick Marone of Highland is in charge of organizing the league. The County Legion athletic officer anticipates a very successful season.

Kingston Post voted to equip a team and to transport it, to the various courts in the county where league games are to be played.

Cooper to Manage Club

Athletic Officer Glennon said that Charles "Chappie" Cooper would manage the Kingston team which has signed five men to date—Tommy Maines, Andy Murphy, Joe Garland, Jack Ruzzo, George Bloom. Manager Cooper hopes to augment this quintet with additional men in the near future.

Welfare Present

Charles Shultis, welfare officer, reported that the treasury of his committee had received a gift of \$132.93 from a fund created during World War I.

"The gift came from James O. Winston as treasurer of Home Defense Committee during the first World War," he said. Mr. Winston the only surviving member of the group deemed it fitting that the money on deposit in the Kingston Trust Company should be used for helping ex-servicemen the purpose for which it was raised originally. He arranged the legal procedure for transferring it from the bank to the Legion, which is very grateful for his kindly consideration.

Former G. I. of the second World War, and men who served in the first, mixed in fraternal harmony at last night's meeting enjoying an additional feature a songfest with Harry Maissenholder, former Doughboy, at the piano. He played the airs that were popular with servicemen during World War I, and those that were first choice among the boys whom Uncle Sam called upon to do their duty in World War 2.

Maj. Gen. Hay Dies; Camp Smith Commander

Glen Cove, N. Y., Dec. 18 (AP)—Maj. Gen. William Henry Hay, Ret. 86, a regular army officer for 41 years, and for 13 years commander of the New York National Guard Training Reservation at Camp Smith, Peekskill, N. Y., died yesterday.

A native of Florida, he was a Brigadier General in charge of training troops at Camp Upton during World War I, when General John J. Pershing, his classmate at West Point, promoted him to major general and placed him in command of the 28th Division of Pennsylvania National Guard (The Keystone Division). He served overseas with the outfit.

Hay also fought in the Spanish-American War, on the Mexican Border in 1916.



BIKE TOURISTS IN ALBERTA — Banff high school students make a bicycle tour along the Banff-Jasper highway to Mt. Eisenhower in Alberta's scenic Canadian Rockies.



BIG MOVIE STUDIO — Nine sound movie studios are being built by Allied Studios, Inc., in these former storage buildings of wartime magnesium plant at Henderson, Nev.



LARD EXHIBIT — Frank Duff, a sculptor, carves a sow and suckling pigs out of pure lard at Chicago for the meat exhibit at the International Livestock Show.

The World Today

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Just as Russia's actions in the recent New York conferences seemed to reduce the barriers between her and the western nations, so something seems to be happening to alleviate the fears of her immediate neighbors.

Some months ago Iran was reduced to a quivering jelly while her dispute with Russia was before the U. N. Security Council. She practically repudiated her own representative here, and made a hurried deal with the Soviet rather than pursue the contest despite indications of victory.

Tehran Gets Bolder

Now, suddenly, the Tehran government is emboldened to retake the northern province of Azerbaijan which had been almost a country unto itself, because of wartime Russian occupation and later because of a Moscow-sponsored local government.

In addition, Tehran's troops are mopping up centers of the Kurdish independence movement which also was declared by some of its own leaders to have had Russian support even to the supply of arms.

Iran moved without fear of Russian intervention. Even the Moscow radio has had little to say.

A little farther west, Turkish officials have begun a campaign against what they termed "subversive" elements in European Turkey. The army is moving in firm fashion. Observers at Istanbul pointed out the coincidence of the Turkish campaign and Iranian events as possible harbingers of a changing attitude toward Russia.

Fight for Political Rights

In Greece, too, the government has consistently intimated that Russia was behind her insurgent troubles. But now one Greek

partisan group, which was reported fighting for autonomy in Macedonia, denies this is their objective. They say they are fighting only for political rights and adoption of some of their precepts by the central government. This group repudiates the leftist team and the Macedonian national liberation front, which the central government fears as the agents of Sovietized Europe.

Here, then, are three small groups which suddenly feel emboldened to thumb their noses at the Kremlin. Turkey, of course, has been firm all the time against Russian encroachment, but at the same time she has been, until now, very polite. And the Greek thing is minor.

Not As Impressive

But here, suddenly, we have evidence that the Kremlin frown does not carry all the weight it did a short time ago.

We can only speculate as to why, the same as we did about the recent softening of Russian policy in the U. N.

Do the small neighbors know of events within Russia herself which hold her attention to the exclusion of matters outside her own borders? Foreign correspondents in Moscow report that the people of Russia have been caught up in the five-year plan of rehabilitation and development to the exclusion of everything else. Is this also consuming the full effort of the government, with all expansion ideas deferred? Is there more than we are told to the "purge" which has been taking place in the name of efficiency in the Soviet administrative set-up? Could it be that Kremlin circles really are busy building personal fences in preparation for the end of Stalin's active rule?

Or could it be what the world has been working and praying for—that Russia is really beginning

to cooperate, that she finds some of her pet foreign projects are so widely opposed as to make them unprofitable, that for the sake of better world relations she is willing to backtrack a little even from points where she feels she has rights?

Stassen Declares He's Candidate

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to the "new level we have arrived at."

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Stassen described Economist Robert Nathan's recent report to the C.I.O. as the "most deceptive and fallacious report ever given wide circulation in this country." Nathan contended that industry could raise wages from 21 to 25 per cent without raising prices.

Stassen's labor program, aside

from Wagner Act revisions, calls for: Emphasis on "the voluntary rather than the compulsory" settlement of labor disputes. Breaking up what he called "monopolies and dictatorships" in unions.

A requirement for secret union ballots on strikes but no compulsory arbitration or any federal court with power to fix future wages and working conditions.

Retention of the ultimate right to strike.

Dewey Conference With Congressmen Is Viewed Closely

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can Laborite, Vito Marcantonio of New York city, retained his seat. The Republican delegation has 10 "freshman" congressmen, including the six who won Democratic seats and four others who were elected for the first time.



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The injured: George W. Night-

ingale, 24, Fort Worth, Tex., and Miss Beverly Harper, 21, of (45 Interlaken ave.) New Rochelle, N. Y. The pilot suffered a compound fracture of the right leg and facial injuries. Miss Harper

suffered lacerations of the face and legs. The two were en route from Fort Worth to New York. The pilot was making a forced landing when his plane plunged into the

thicket.

Put Out Car Fire

The firemen were called at 8 o'clock Tuesday night to Delaware

avenue where they used chemicals to put out a fire in one of the cars of the Veterans Taxi Co. The fire started in the generator and damage was not serious.

High-Speed Drinking Hit England's man-in-the-street is hotly debating an extension of evening drinking houses proposed by the Royal Licensing Commission,

following a report, commonly called the "Booze Quiz," recently made to the House of Commons. Present legal closing time is six o'clock which causes many people to engage in high-speed drinking.

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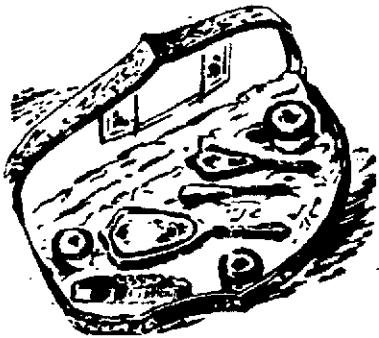
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Married Sunday



MRS. HERBERT M. SILLER
Miss Elaine Gruberg, 728 Broadway, became the bride of Herbert M. Siller, 48 Spring street, Sunday at the synagogue of Congregation Agudas Achim. (Kinkadee and Hut-ton Photo).

Presbyterian Couples' Club Has Annual Christmas Party

The annual Christmas party of the Couples' Club of the First Presbyterian Church was held Monday evening in Ramsey Hall. Fifteen couples attended the supper served in the lower hall at 6:30 p. m. Afterward they adjourned to the upper hall and gathered around the fireplace and Christmas tree for the exchange of gifts. Mrs. Chester Miller and Edmund Osterhoudt accompanied at the piano for the singing of Christmas carols.

The following committees contributed to the success of the evening: Supper committee, Mrs. Edmund Osterhoudt, Mrs. William Kuehn, Mrs. M. E. Parrott, Mrs. Casper Souers, Mrs. Joseph Pfommer and Ralph Shultis; dining room, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultis and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Pfommer; upper hall committee, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caunitz, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rick, Mr. and Mrs. William Kuehn, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rick, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Forman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Schwab, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caunitz, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Pfommer and Mr. and Mrs. Casper Souers.

Christmas Music Sung By Candlelight Is Listed at First Dutch

Christmas Music by Candlelight will be presented at the First Dutch Reformed Church Sunday at 5 p. m. The service has been planned with traditional carols from many lands, as well as, contemporary carol anthems of America. The church will be lighted entirely by candles and the Christmas decorations will be in place.

Guest artists will be Herbert Bird, violinist; and Bruce Decker, who will play the flute. Mr. Bird has been heard a number of times on musical programs in this area. Mr. Decker who plays the flute in the Kingston High School band is also the piano accompanist for the A Cappella Choir. Two of the soloists, Miss Jean Laidlaw and Miss Elizabeth Sherman, are members of the church who will be home from college. Miss Marjorie Hinkley, who will sing the soprano obligato to the Chinese Christmas Carol is a member of the Adult Choir.

Mrs. Raymond H. Rignall, minister of music and organist, will direct the program. She will be assisted in several of the anthems by Miss Caroline Little at the console. The Carol and Boys' Choirs, junior groups; Angelus Choir, intermediate girls; and Adult Choir of the church will participate. The Rev. Arthur E. Oudemool, pastor, will preside.

Mrs. Rignall has chosen for her organ prelude Divinum Mysterium by Purvis and for the postlude, Fugue and Fugue in A Minor by Bach.

The choir program will be as follows: Choral Introit, Ah Dear-est Jesus, Bach Chorale; Candle-light procession hymn, O Come All Ye Faithful; Sleeps Judea Fair, MacKinnon, contemporary carol written while the composer was in Canada, adult choir.

Invocation, the Rev. Mr. Oudemool; Ring Far Bells, German traditional carol, Junior choirs; Birds Carol, Czechoslovakian, Junior and intermediate; Chinese Christmas Carol arranged by J. Tertius Noble, adult choir with obligato by Miss Hinkley.

Gesu Bambino, Pietro Yon, solo by Miss Laidlaw, violin obligato, Mr. Bird; Gloria, Pergolesi, early Italian composer, adult choir; Scripture, the Rev. Mr. Oudemool; Happy Bethlehem, Basque carol arranged by Padre Denostia, adults; Hark! in the Darkness, Polish carol arranged by Bement, intermediates and adults; See, Jesus, The Savior, Appalachian carol arranged by John Jacob Niles of Lexington, Ky., famous for his arrangements of mountain folk songs, adults; prayer and response.

Offertory, Ave Maria, Schubert. Mr. Bird accompanied at the console by Ruth Holmes Bird. Shepherds Christmas Song, Austrian, arranged by Reimann-Dickinson, adults with flute obligato by Mr. Decker.

Lullaby in Christmas Eve, Olaf Christiansen, sung by Elizabeth Sherman and chorus; Glory to God in the Highest, Bigtodd, contemporary American and written in 1943, combined choirs. Benediction. Silent Night with flute descant, combined choirs.

Eendracht Guild Conducts Carol Service Tomorrow

A Candlelight Carol Service will be conducted by the Eendracht Guild of the Fair Street Reformed Church Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

A meditation, "No Room in the Inn" will be given by Miss Geraldine Peters. She will also sing the traditional Negro carol, "Sweet Little Jesus Boy." Mrs. Kenneth Hieck and Mrs. William Palen will sing an old Polish Carol of the 13th Century, "The Star."

Mrs. William S. Eltinge will be at the organ.

Others taking part in this service are Mrs. Howard Shurtler, Mrs. Peter Hornbeck, Mrs. W. E. Ry-lance and the Senior Choir under the direction of Miss Helen Turner.

ROSE QUEEN



Norma Christopher, 18-year-old Pasadena Junior College student, who will reign as queen of the annual Tournament of Roses in Pasadena on New Year's day. She is 5 feet 4 inches tall, with blond hair and grey-blue eyes.

Christmas Party at Plant



Employees of the Reliable Sportswear Mfg. Co., of 574 Broadway were delightfully entertained at a Christmas party at the plant on Saturday afternoon. Each employee received a gift from the owners. The yule party was very enjoyable. Shown in the picture are Saul Friedman and Nathan Bodian, owners, and Helen Bodie, floorlady. (C. J. Kelly Photo)

Mrs. Finley Heads Trinity W.S.C.S.

At the December meeting of Trinity Methodist Church W.S.C.S. officers were elected for the coming year. Those chosen are Mrs. Lester Finley, president; Miss Bessie Marsh, vice president; Mrs. Eugene L. Hale, recording secretary; Miss Isabel Thompson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Monroe Burger, treasurer; Mrs. Sherman E. Eighmey, pledge secretary; Mrs. Frank W. Thompson, vice president of missionary education; Mrs. Henry Wilmot, vice president of Christian social relations and local church activities, assisted by Mrs. Everett Gilbert; Mrs. Henry Eldridge, secretary of literature and publications; Miss Mary E. Hale, secretary of supplies; Mrs. Monroe Burger, mite box secretary; Mrs. Alfred Tongue, secretary of offerings; Mrs. Herbert Killinger, secretary of children's work; Mrs. George D. Long, secretary of spiritual life.

The officers will serve beginning January 1. It was also unanimously voted to change the regular meeting day to the second Tuesday each month. The next meeting will be January 14.

Lake Parties to Be Held by Two Groups

Two Lake parties are planned this week. The Abavath Israel Sisterhood will hold one Saturday at 7:30 p. m. in the Vestry Room, Wurts street. Entertainment is being planned for all by Mrs. Ben Seidenberg, chairman and Mrs. Louis Mason, co-chairman.

The B'nai Brith Auxiliary will hold a Lake party at the B'nai Brith Club, Hill street, Thursday at 8:30 o'clock in conjunction with B'nai Brith Men's Club. An entertaining program is planned.

Additional Information

Additional information has been received on the marriage of Miss Alice Anna Saban, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Saban, Route 1, and Bronislaus Joseph Swieca, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Swieca of Buffalo. The ceremony was performed at St. Colman's Church, East Kingston, by the Rev. William Brennan, December 7. Miss Margaret Volker played the wedding march and "Ave Maria."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a broadcloth taffeta gown with sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, finger-tip veil and tiara of seed pearls. She carried white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Bronislaus Paluch of Buffalo, sister of the bridegroom, as matron of honor, wore a dark rose broadcloth taffeta gown with matching feather headpiece and carried yellow pompons. Mr. Paluch was best man.

After the reception at Manner-chor Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Swieca left for a wedding trip to New York, Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va. The bride wore a beige tuxedo coat trimmed with brown fur, a brown gabardine suit with matching accessories. They are making their home with the bride's parents.

The bride attended Emma Wygant School and is employed at C. A. Baltz pajama factory. Mr. Swieca attended Catholic schools and served four years, ten months in the army, 21 of which were in North Africa. He was discharged at West Point. He is employed by Julius Rudolph, plumbing and heating contractor.

Monteux Accepts Commission Apologies

San Francisco, Dec. 18 (AP)—Conductor Pierre Monteux has accepted the apologies of the San Francisco Art Commission for giving him secondary billing in advertisements of the San Francisco Symphony Concert and will conduct the orchestra Saturday night.

President Edward Keil wrote the Commission's apology for putting Monteux's name in small letters and billing him under guest violinist Isaac Stern. No slight was intended, Keil said.

Monteux, who earlier had told reporters, inquiring whether he would accept the apology, and change his mind about not appearing at the concert, that the conductor had retired to his bathtub for relaxation.

He emerged to announce his decision and say that he would demand that a soloist of his choice, pianist Solveig Laundie, appear with the orchestra next season.

Miss Lockwood Plans New Year's Wedding

Mrs. John Moore of Eddyville announces the engagement of her daughter, Bernice Lockwood, to Edward H. Wyant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wyant, of Wrentham street. The wedding will take place New Year's Day.

Club Notices

Comforter Missionary Society
The Missionary Society of the Reformed Church of the Comforter will meet at the home of Miss Louise Cameron, 17 Liberty street Thursday at 2:30 o'clock. The envelopes for Mesalero will be received at this meeting.

Hebrew School Auxiliary

A regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Kingston Hebrew School will be held at the Hebrew School Building on Post street Thursday at 8:30 p. m. Card party report will be given. A large attendance is requested.

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In answer to this, the turning of thumbs down is done by only the super fastidious, especially on formal invitations. To overcome the objections of your sisters, you might write "and family" in smaller writing down in the lower left-hand corner of the envelope or you might turn it over and write it on the point of the flap. In other words, this would be a personal message like "Attention of Mr. Special" on a business letter and not a taboo of formal etiquette.

Standing More Usual Than Sitting
Dear Mrs. Post: When my sister was here recently, we took her with us to the wedding of a young neighbor. When the bride party entered the church, everyone rose and turned toward the altar. My sister said it seemed so sensible but was not done where she lived. She wondered whether it was customary generally. Will you answer this and also tell us who gives the cue for the congregation to rise?

Answer: The general practice is to stand. Your comment, however, sounds inaccurate to me, since the only time I was in a church where the congregation remained seated, a view was had from every part of the church. In all other churches to which I have gone, the congregation has risen at the first bars of the wedding march and then remained standing throughout the ceremony or sat down, rising again at the beginning of the recessional. Very little can be seen of either the processional or recessional unless one is in a front pew or directly on the main aisle.

A Receiving Line
Dear Mrs. Post: In what order should a mother, father and daughter receive at a party the

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Lowell Literary Club Has Annual Christmas Party
The Lowell Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. O. D. B. Ingalls in Hurley Tuesday afternoon for its annual Christmas party. The program was opened with the singing of the familiar Christmas carols followed by the Shepherd's Christmas story from the Bible told by Mrs. J. A. Guttridge who also told another Christmas story. The afternoon was spent in playing progressive games. The members brought candy to the meeting and 48 half pound boxes were packed for the City Home. A buffet luncheon was served with Mrs. C. V. Gunther, president and Mrs. H. L. A. Fick, vice president, presiding. Arrangements for the program were made by the program committee: Mrs. Guttridge, Mrs. Mary Chidester and Mrs. Ingalls. Greetings were read from all of the honorary members: Mrs. Margaret Conklin, New York City; Mrs. W. N. Fessenden, Richmond Hills, L. I.; Mrs. E. L. Howe, Peterborough, Ont., Canada; Mrs. A.

Riseley, Hartford, Conn.; and Mrs. A. H. VanBuren of Pine Street. Members attending the party were the Meses. Mary Chidester, H. L. A. Fick, J. D. Groves, C. V. Gunther, J. A. Guttridge, O. D. B. Ingalls, G. D. Long, William Longyear, J. J. Murphy, C. Franklin Pierce, Frederick Snyder, Rose K. Witter, and the Meses. Flora O. Davison, Mary Hale, Anna D. and L. May Quimby.

Taken to Benedictine
Mrs. Florence Avery of Stony Hollow was taken to the Benedictine Hospital by the Conner ambulance about 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, following report of Special Officer Lawler that she had been taken ill at Scandiff's cigar store, 42 North Front street. At the hospital this morning her condition was reported to be good.

Nylon Fish Nets Tested
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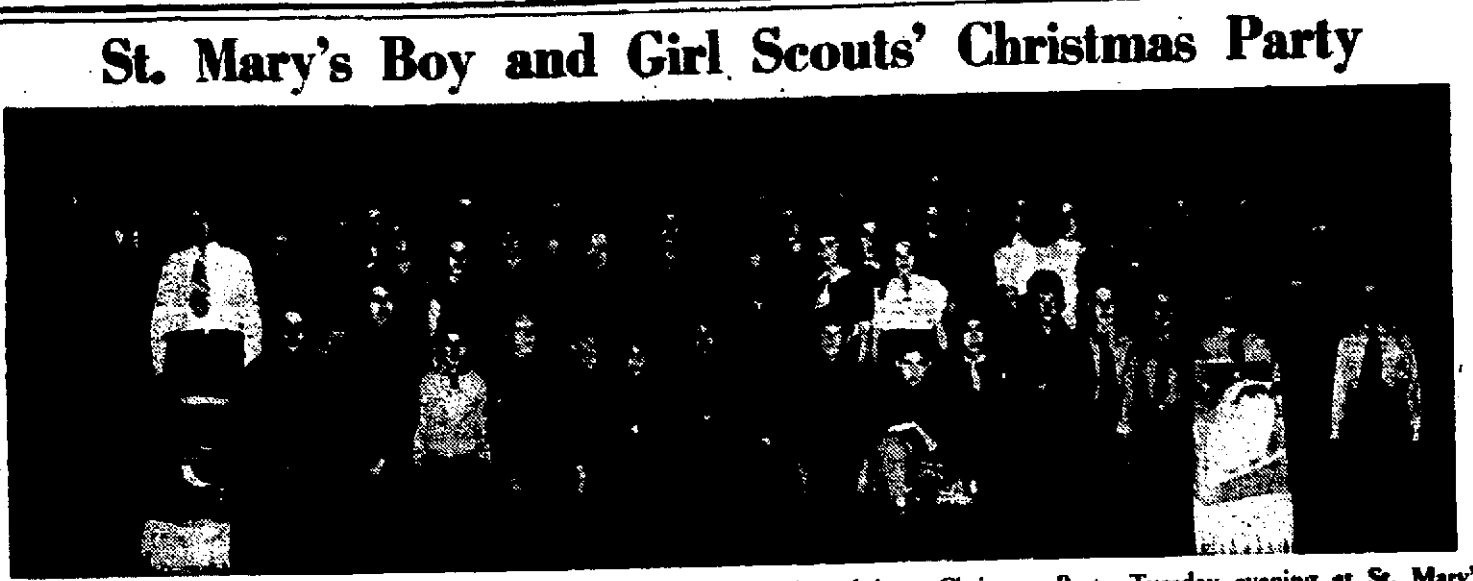
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Wage-Policy of C.I.O. Meets at Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Wage-Policy Committee of the C.I.O.-United Steelworkers which last year set the pattern for labor's wage program, meets today to formulate contract demands on the basic steel industry. The union's executive board met for six hours yesterday to set up the framework of the 1947 demands but made no specific wage increase recommendation. Philip Murray, president of the 850,000 steelworkers, declined to make any statement at the conclusion of the conference and turned aside all queries pertaining to wages. One question that appeared definitely decided is that there be no uniform demands for the entire steel industry. It is understood that Murray wants the increases negotiated on the ability of each firm to pay. Last year the steelworkers demanded a blanket \$2 a day increase, later settling for an 18 1/2 cent hourly raise. Meanwhile, James J. Matles, director of organization for the C.I.O.-United Electrical Radio and Machine Workers, said the U.E. will not recommend a specific wage increase figure until it opens negotiations with the electrical companies. The U.E.'s executive board met concurrently with the steelworkers. It is estimated that Cornish tin mines have enough ore reserves to permit continued operations for 50 to 100 years.

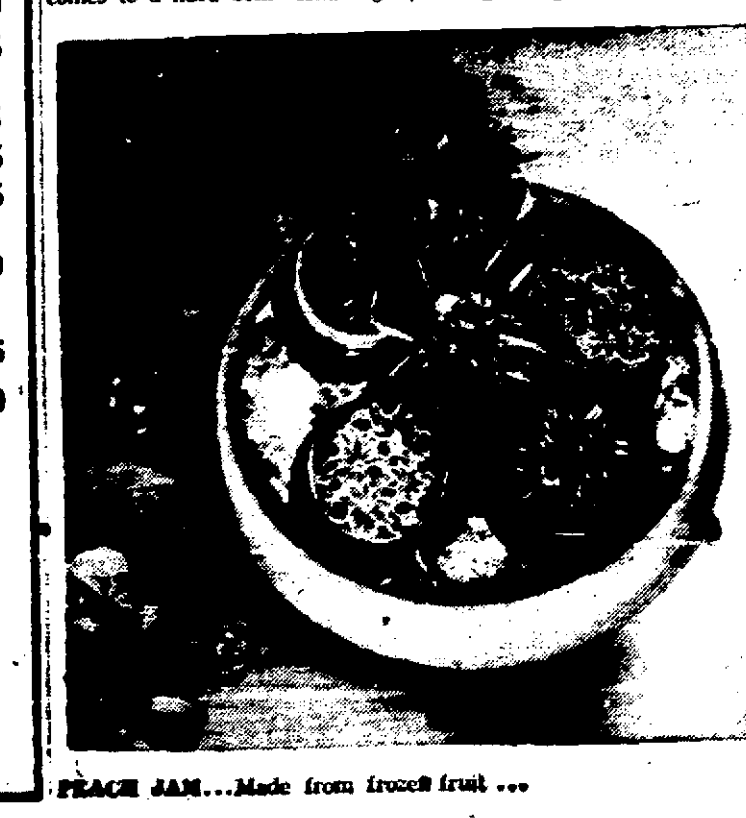
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Christmas Gifts to Eat

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS (Associated Press Food Editor)
We can give food presents for Christmas this year. If we want to buy them, ready to wrap up, there is more variety of choice than we've had in a long time. There are imported delicacies to be had which will delight the heart of any of your gourmet friends, even though there may not be all the things we've been waiting for. A box of assorted spices, even though it didn't contain fine pepper, would be a good gift. An assortment of canape spreads would be another. Just go into a specialty shop or the food department of any good department store and you'll find plenty of beautiful gifts. If you want to give home-made food presents the situation is perhaps a bit more difficult. Still there are some ways to get around the great lack of sugar, which is the worst hurdle to overcome this year. Many of us couldn't get our entire canning allotment, and therefore have had to forego the pleasure of giving the fruits of our labors to friends. Here's one way of doing something about that, though, even at this late date. Use quick-frozen fruits! In the first place, they're slightly sweetened and thus necessitate less use of sugar. And in the second place they're so easy to use that they save a great deal of time. A beginner, for instance, could make the following jam in fifteen minutes.

Peach Jam
1 box (1 pound) quick-frozen sweetened sliced peaches
2 teaspoons lemon juice
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup light corn syrup
3 tablespoons powdered fruit pectin
Thaw peaches as directed on the package. Chop very fine. Place in a large saucepan with lemon juice. Measure sugar and corn syrup and set aside. Mix contents of powdered fruit pectin package thoroughly before measuring it. Place saucepan holding fruit over high heat. Add pectin and stir until the mixture comes to a hard boil. Add sugar



PEACH JAM...Made from frozen fruit...

V-2 Rocket Soars 111 Miles for New Altitude Record
White Sands, N. M., Dec. 18 (AP)—A German V-2 rocket, trailing a long string of white fire, soared comet-like to a record 111 miles into the heavens last night, but its puny they eluded most eyes. A scientific evaluation of the meteorites experiment awaits development of film from cameras, some 300 of which were trained on the heavens over this southern New Mexico ordnance proving ground. The rocket shoot itself was termed the best so far by Lt. Col. Harold R. Turner, White Sands commandant. Not only did the 14100 (28,000 pound) missile crack the July 29 altitude record of 104 miles, but also it established a new speed of 5,350 feet per second—more than a mile a second and about five times the speed of sound. The rocket landed 27 miles north of the launching platform. **Maoris To Be Housed**
New Zealand has a 10-year, \$21,000,000 program for the housing of its Maori natives. It provides for erection of some 6,000 new dwellings, excluding rental houses, and for alterations, maintenance and repair of 3,000 existing homes, says Auckland's Ministry of Works.

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U.S. Chamber Says Prices Too High; Fears Wage Hikes

Commerce Group Replies to C.I.O.: Jackson Says Idea Is 'Mirage'

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—The United States Chamber of Commerce conceded today that "many prices are too high" but declared that a new round of wage increases will make reducing them "impossible."

The Chamber gave industry's first full-dress reply to the C.I.O. contention that industry can afford wage increases ranging up to 25 per cent without raising prices or substantially disturbing profit returns.

"Economic mirage" was the rebuttal of William K. Jackson, president of the Chamber. He said any wage increases will be accompanied by "closely corresponding price increases."

Jackson submitted an analysis of the report made recently for the C.I.O. by Robert R. Nathan, private economist and former deputy war mobilization director for the government. The analysis contended both Nathan and the C.I.O. had used facts "carelessly."

Nathan said industry profits are at an all-time high, even exceeding war levels. The Chamber maintained they are "below normal."

The C.I.O. report contended workers' "real" earnings have declined from a 1945 peak. The Chamber asserted that "by the autumn of this year the wage worker was still substantially ahead in real wages of his position before the war or before the depression of the 1930's."

The C.I.O. declared industry could have afforded wage boosts without increasing prices last spring and can again in early 1947. The Chamber replied that prices did go up after the first wage round, the C.I.O.'s arguments thus proved "fallacious" and demanded "what makes them valid now?"

Prelude to Wage Drive

The whole argument over the meaning of statistics, most of which were obtained by both sides from the government, is a prelude to the C.I.O. wage drive for 1947. The C.I.O. auto workers already have asked for a 23.5 cents an hour increase. Somewhat similar asking figures are expected from the big C.I.O. steel and electrical worker unions, as well as other C.I.O. affiliates.

In a statement over the weekend C.I.O. President Philip Murray spoke of a depression with more than 19,000,000 unemployed. He said it will come unless workers wages are raised to maintain purchasing power for industry's products.

Documents made public by Jackson said a "collapse" is a strong possibility if organized workers get new wage increases which jack up prices again while other people, such as those depending on pensions and life insurance payments, have to get along on fixed incomes.

Prepared by Schmidt

The Chamber's analysis of the Nathan report was prepared by economist Emerson P. Schmidt, Canadian-born former instructor at the Universities of Minnesota, Oregon and Wisconsin.

"The Chamber of Commerce recognizes that our wage structure is out of balance—some wages should be adjusted downward and others upward," Schmidt said. "Only the free and open market should make these adjustments."

"The groups now most aggressive in demanding a second round of wage increases are for the most part those which in the last decade have already pushed their rate ahead of the general rate."

"Many prices are too high. Many businessmen openly say this is true of their own output. They would like to see prices lower, so as to broaden markets. But since wages are the chief component of costs, it is impossible to work toward substantially lower prices if a second round of wage increases is wrested from industry."

Schmidt also stated it is the function neither of government nor the C.I.O. to "control" profits, maintaining that when profits are "above normal" new jobs and investment opportunities are opened up.

Attlee, Cabinet Have Not Been Consulted

London, Dec. 18 (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee and his cabinet have not been consulted about an engagement for Princess Elizabeth, an official source said today, and as a result the rumors that she will marry Prince Philip of Greece and Denmark must be regarded as premature.

Under the Royal Marriages Act of 1772—passed to guard against undesirable marriages that might affect the succession to the throne—no member of the Royal Family may marry without permission of the King and the King as a constitutional monarch acts only with the advice of his ministers.

An exception is made for members of the Royal Family who are 25 or older. They may marry without consent, provided they give the Privy Council a year's notice and Parliament, during that year, does not disapprove of the marriage. Princess Elizabeth will not be 21 until next April.

The government source said he had been assured "very recently" by Admiral Lord Mountbatten, Prince Philip's uncle, that there was "nothing to" the report of an engagement—although Mountbatten has been described by other sources as strongly favoring his nephew's marriage to the future queen.

PRINCIPALS IN FATAL SHOOTING



Mrs. Helen Grant, 34, (left) waitress and mother of four children by a previous marriage, was shot to death in a crowded shooting section of Norristown, Pa., while scores of persons looked on. Police Chief Robert Reilly said her husband, Thomas Grant, 46, (right) a brewery worker, was charged with murder in the shooting. (AP Wirephoto)



A military prisoner (above) identified as Pvt. John L. O'Brien of Rome, N. Y., was taken into custody at Kansas City, Mo., while waiting for a street car. Cpl. Gerrit d Bondt, Sioux City, Ia., said O'Brien escaped near Sibley, Mo., jumping from a moving train after disarming his guards. (AP Wirephoto)

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Action for Damages Goes to Trial Today in Supreme Court

An action to recover damages arising out of an accident on November 15, 1945 at Bloomingburg when the car of John A. Bonomi of Rome, N. Y., was taken into custody at Kansas City, Mo., while waiting for a street car. Cpl. Gerrit d Bondt, Sioux City, Ia., said O'Brien escaped near Sibley, Mo., jumping from a moving train after disarming his guards. (AP Wirephoto)

Probe Continues On Malden Fire

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determined to obtain a sufficient water supply, for fire protection as well as for domestic uses.

To Draft Petition Attorney Clyde F. Gardner, of Saugerties, was authorized to draft a petition for the establishment of a fire district. Mr. Gardner promptly drew up the petition, and said last night that sufficient signatures to make the proposal valid would be secured before the end of the week.

The Cody plant holocaust pointed up the failure of the residents of Malden to act on a similar petition five or six years ago. One of the chief proponents for the water system for the Malden community is Eugene Grigat. He advocated such a fire protection unit at that time. The question was placed before the voters but did not receive their approval.

Plans and estimates prepared by a Gloversville engineer who came to Malden at the time were considered but later were laid aside.

Matter Was Reopened

The matter was reopened recently and the engineer's original plans attached to a petition which had been prepared and was to have been presented for their consideration on Monday. There was some delay, however, and the Cody fire occurred in the meanwhile.

Mr. Grigat said last night that the petition, now completed in every detail, had been left at his home and that yesterday a number of Malden residents had called and signed it. He expressed hope that an overwhelming majority of the residents would sign it in time for its presentation to the Malden Board of Trustees for further action.

The proposal for the fire district and water district will be presented simultaneously, Mr. Grigat said.

House G.O.P. Plans Short, Snappy Session

Washington, Dec. 18 (AP)—House Republicans, mindful of their pre-election promise to "take the government out of the people's hair," are planning for the new session of Congress to be short and snappy.

Leading evidence to reports that party leadership doesn't want Congress to stay in Washington any longer than necessary, Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, who becomes speaker on January 3, told reporters he hopes all business will be finished by July 1.

The reorganization law enacted last summer requiring Congress to adjourn each session at the end of July, unless an emergency arises, Martin doesn't want it to stay in session that long.

Committees already have been directed to have bills ready as soon as possible on appropriations, income tax reduction, lifting war controls, housing, and labor.

Hearings also are likely to start soon on extension of the draft law which expires March 31.

Should present plans be executed and the first session of the 80th Congress adjourn early in July, it would not return—barring emergency call—until January, 1948.

CHILD FOUND WITH ACCUSED YOUTH

Three-year-old Patricia Johnson (left), who disappeared from San Diego, Calif., talks to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Johnson, by telephone from Los Angeles where she was found. The company of a boy, Douglas N. D., 13, formerly of Douglas, N. D., was found with the child's chin in a tree trunk. The boy said he must have been terribly drunk. (AP Wirephoto)

Poll on Tug Strike Begins Today by Mail in New York

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Tugboat leaders began a mail poll today of members of Local 233, United Marine Division, A.F.L. International Longshoremen's Union, for authority to call a strike affecting New York harbor's tugs and self-propelled craft.

The strike ballot, prepared last night, reported that "operators have failed to offer your negotiating committee any agreeable counter offer to the original demands of our membership." Tugboat workers were asked to vote on two propositions:

To authorize the committee to call a strike to enforce union demands for a reduction in the work week from 48 to 40 hours with no reduction in pay, plus a wage increase of \$1 per day across the board plus time and a half for working Saturdays and double time for Sundays.

To authorize the committee to submit the demands to binding arbitration with assurance that a decision would be rendered after the present contract expires December 1.

Capt. Bradley, president of the local, said that union members would be required to return the ballots by noon January 2 and the strike, if authorized, would be called on or after January 4, depending on the state of negotiations.

Bradley announced yesterday after a futile negotiating session that negotiations between the union and operators "had not been broken off and that the parties were ready to meet again at the call of Conciliator Frank E. Walsh. This was confirmed by James P. McAllister, representing the employers."

McAllister said the operators had made three offers to the union yesterday, each of which he described as boosting wage rates 10 per cent.

McAllister said the alternatives presented were: A 10 per cent per hour increase in hourly wage rates based on the present contract; a 40-hour week, plus an increase of six cents an hour in the hourly wage rate, or a 40-hour week with time and a half for Saturday.

Operators said present rates ranged from 85 cents an hour for deckhands to \$1.60 for captains.

Caraway Sentenced To Die in Chair; Stoical in Court

Wife and Parents Hear Sentence, Show No Emotion; Will Go to Sing Sing

Mineola, N. Y., Dec. 18 (AP)—Ward Beecher Caraway, 22-year-old Bronx Caroma Negro butler, was sentenced today to die in the electric chair during the week of January 27 for the first degree murder of Mrs. Marjory Church Logan, wealthy Long Island matron.

Caraway stood stoically as his sentence was read by Nassau County Judge Henry J. A. Collins in the court room where an all-male jury pronounced him guilty in the robbery-slaying of Mrs. Logan after three hours of deliberation last Friday.

His wife and parents, who heard his sentencing in the crowded courtroom, betrayed no emotion as Caraway was led away by deputy sheriffs preparatory to being taken to Sing Sing prison.

When his name was called by Court Clerk William B. Bards, Caraway arose, smiling dazedly, and Bards asked him if he knew of any reason why sentence should not be pronounced. Caraway asked him to repeat the question. Bards did, but Caraway did not reply.

Mrs. Logan, 52-year-old society matron, was slain last July 24 in her home near Flomdon on Long Island's north shore.

The state accused Caraway with firing the fatal shots after demanding money. He then went upstairs, police said, and raped and shot Mrs. Logan's 26-year-old daughter, Marjory Jeanne, formerly a WAC.

With two bullet wounds in the head Miss Logan ran to a neighbor's house and was taken to a hospital. She was a key witness for the prosecution at the trial but was not permitted to testify concerning the alleged rape.

Caraway testified in his defense that he was under the influence of drugs at the time of the shooting and recalled none of the events. He was employed as a butler-chauffeur with his wife at an estate near the Logan home at the time of the slaying.

Approves Statue New York (AP)—Now that Britain has settled its domestic controversy over the Roosevelt statue for London's Grosvenor Square, and will depict the late President in a standing position, the person closest to the late President will find no objection. Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, between busy sessions at the United Nations, said she considered sitting a "more natural position," but she added diplomatically, "many remember him standing." The important thing, she said, was that "the British should have the kind of statue they want."

Albuquerque, largest city in New Mexico was originally spelled Albuquerque by the Spanish. It was named after the Duke of Albuquerque, Viceroy of Mexico in the early 1700's.

A majority of some thousand species of cacti, ranging in size from diminutive types the size of a button to the giant saguaro stretching to a height of 40 feet, are native to Arizona.



FUR FLAG—Arlene Potter (lower left) holds a pair of white fox furs similar to the 1,000 red, white and blue skins used to make this U. S. flag, valued at \$50,000, at the Pacific Northwest Fur Exposition at Seattle, Wash.

Merchants Prepare For Final Rush of Yule Time Buyers

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tions. Dealers said spruce is less expensive but is not in heavy demand because the needles drop, creating a clutter and fire hazard.

The Chamber of Commerce requests all merchants and property owners to cooperate in making this a brilliant post-war Christmas season. Everyone is urged to assist in setting up attractive decorations on buildings and in stores and establishments.

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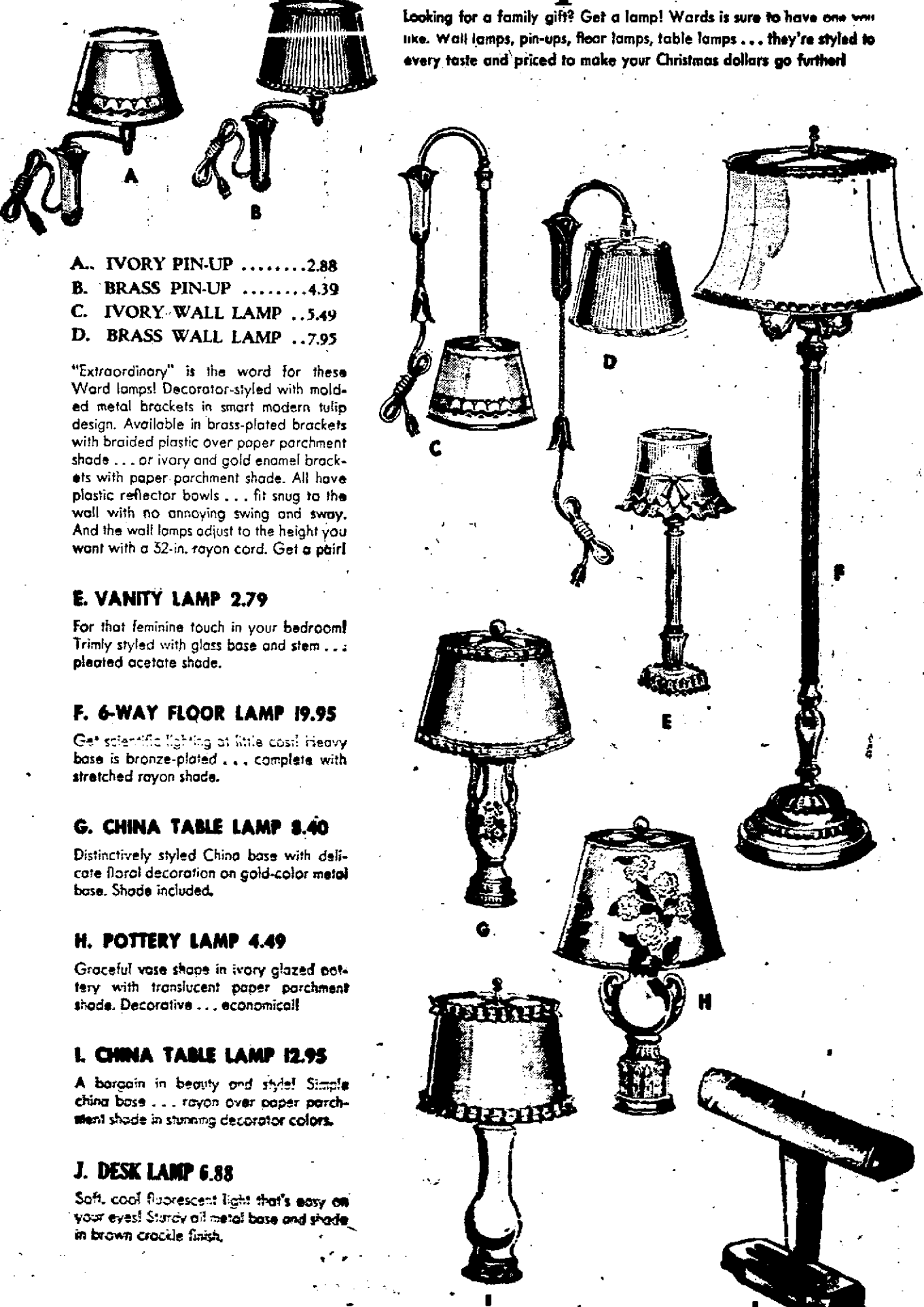
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Big Boom in Foreign Trade

Government Economists Believe Program Will Keep for Some Time

By CLARKE BEACH
Washington, Dec. 17 (AP)—The big boom in foreign trade has come. And government economists who can still hear the sickening echo of the crash that followed the boom in the 1920's are ready to hold their ears.

It's starting the same way with sales and purchases at unprecedented peacetime peaks and with a gigantic "favorable balance of trade," an excess of dollars received over the dollars spent.

None of these experts interviewed for these articles expects an economic catastrophe within the next few years.

They believe the present program of loans and trade will keep things humming for some time. Meanwhile, sweeping reforms in foreign trade methods have been proposed. The experts hope that in the long run these will save the situation.

But they find the obstacles and dangers rather appalling.

Here is the present dilemma, according to Commerce Department statisticians:

The United States is buying foreign goods at the rate of \$4½ billion a year; selling to foreigners at the rate of \$1½ to \$10 billion. This year we stand to clear more than \$5 billion.

Some of this represents lend-lease and U.N.R.R.A. outlays but foreigners' cash purchases in the second quarter of 1946 represented 77.3 per cent of the total, and the proportion was increasing rapidly.

The previous peacetime foreign trade record was set in 1920, with exports at \$8,228,000,000 and imports at \$5,278,000,000. In the period 1936-1938 the U.S. annually exported goods valued at \$2,927,000,000 and imported \$2,489,000,000.

If our foreign customers want to continue to do business with us they must even the balance by using their dollar reserves and by

borrowing. It will be mostly borrowing, since \$5,000,000,000 is as much as it will be practicable for them to use of their dollar reserves, according to E. E. Schellbacher, director of the Commerce Department's special services branch.

But they can't go on borrowing indefinitely. That's what happened in the 20's. They borrowed not only to pay for goods but to pay interest and principal on loans. This snowballed until many nations had to default. Then they got no more loans and had to cease trading.

The only answer, according to

practically all authorities in the Commerce Department, is to buy from foreigners goods and services of the same value as those we wish to sell them.

It doesn't have to even up each year, just so a balance is achieved

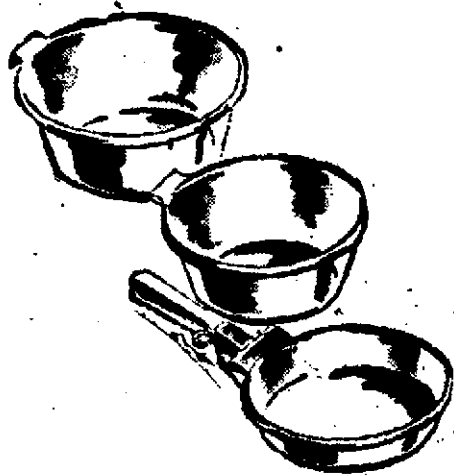
in the course of a cycle. It doesn't have to even up between any two countries, since a country which has a dollar deficit might achieve a balance by sales to a third nation with dollar credits.

Barrow Pushing Is Fun
Henry Cook, 30, arrived in Hawker, South Australia, after pushing a wheelbarrow 1,400 miles from Darwin for a \$1,200 wager. He likes barrow pushing so well that when he reaches Port Augusta, his destination, he thinks he will turn west for Perth, another 1,400 miles.

Tuberculosis is the greatest disease killer of persons between 15 and 35.



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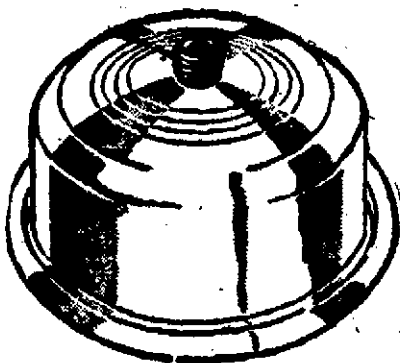
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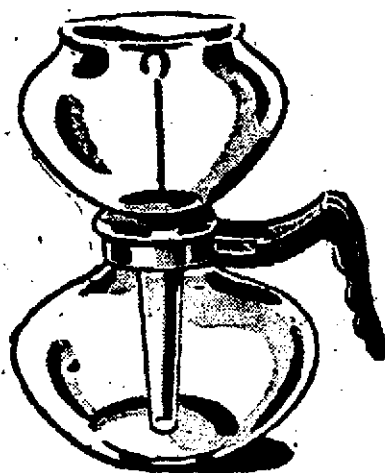
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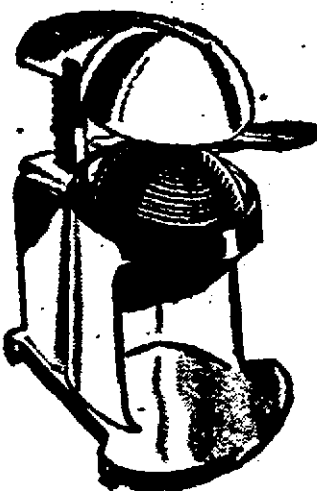
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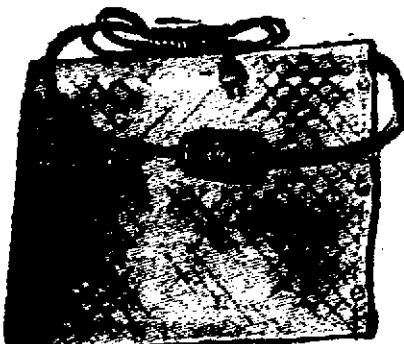
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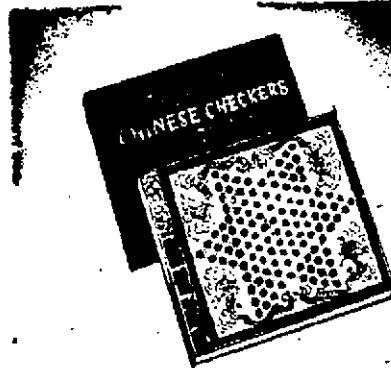
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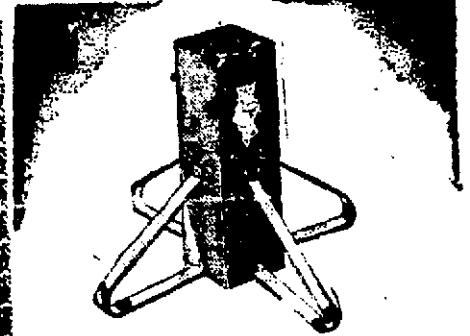
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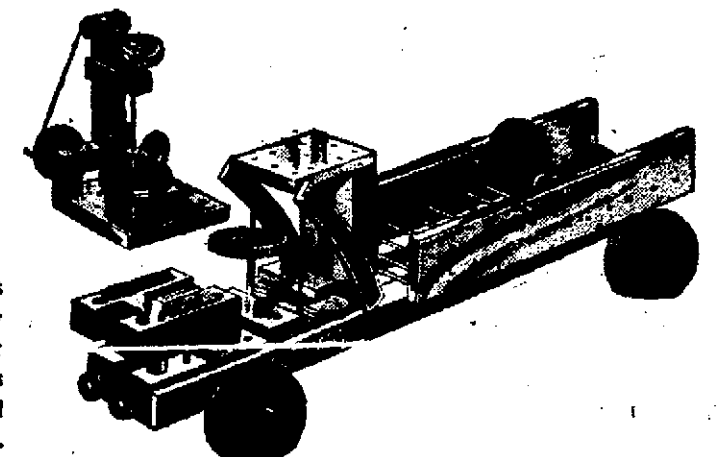
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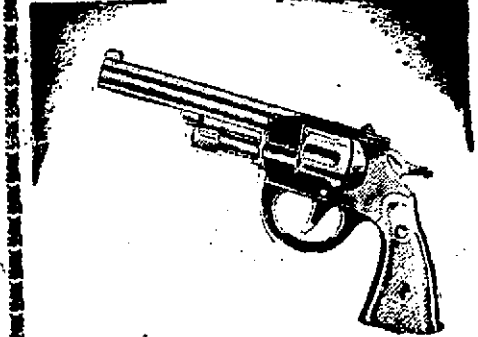
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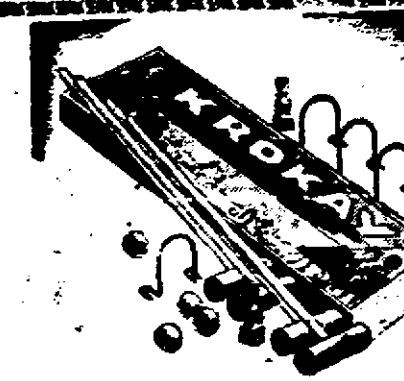
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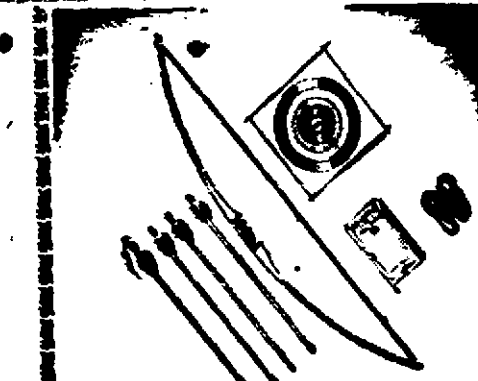
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College Cage Stars to Appear With Celtics Saturday Night

Pete Barry, Former Player on Original Team Also Coming

Metropolitan Cagers Are Bulwark of Shamrocks; Reserved Seats Now on Sale for Game

Basketball fans of Kingston and vicinity are assured of a top-notch cage menu at the municipal auditorium next Saturday night when Pete Barry, member of the Original Celtics, brings in his new edition of the famous Shamrock cagers to meet the Kingston Chiefs in the fourth local professional game of the season.

The memorable Barry, who was once looked upon as one of the finest cage stars in his own right, has rounded up a top-notch ball club including several college stars. Barry is the only Original Celtic still left in the game in some capacity.

Karam Is Confident

"This should be an ideal attraction for Hudson Valley cage fans," A. B. "Turk" Karam said this morning when talking about the Celtics. "Pete Barry is bringing in a fine ball club which has met with very good results so far this year in exhibition ball and I'm sure Kingston fans will give him and his boys a warm welcome."

Barry's Celtics is sparked by Joe Tatar, ex-Dartmouth, Indian star; Ray Rubin, formerly of New York University; Sid Brani, erstwhile Manhattan College luminary and Lou Bartolini, ex-Fordham University star. Bartolini is the only man under six feet of the four players.

In addition the invading Celtics will show Jackie Brown, Bob Jappell, formerly of Baltimore University, and Ed Sugi.

Of the entire squad only Bartolini and Jappell are under the six foot mark. Brandt tops the entire crew with a height of six

feet, three inches while Brown is six feet, two inches.

Seats on Sale

Saturday's big attraction is expected to bring in one of the best crowds of the season to watch the return of professional basketball at the midtown court. Tickets are now on sale for the contest and advanced seats may be secured by telephoning the American Legion Building, 1914.

The Chiefs rolled to their third straight triumph last Saturday night when they knocked off Moe Frankel's Newark Bobcats of the American Professional Basketball League by the score of 47 to 37. The two previous wins were registered over the Jersey Reds and Long Island Bombers.

Work on Fouls

Rody Cooney, former St. Francis College coach, opined after last week's games that he planned to put his local cagers through an extensive foul-shooting practice. "We missed 17 fouls Saturday," Cooney said "and it might have resulted in a loss for us had the Bobcats been a little more alert. But you can be sure all of the boys will have a better percentage by the next game."

Art Lockheed, the former St. Francis star, who started here in his first game when he scored 18 points, returned to the Chief lineup last week after missing the second game. His return, however, failed to dazzle the spectators as it was very apparent that he was still suffering from the effects of his illness.

Lockheed's failure to take over his usual high-scoring job found Tony Dodd, property of the Pittsburgh club of the Basketball Association of America leading the Chiefs. Dodd came through in spectacular fashion in his debut here by scoring 11 points, seven coming on fouls.

Comments around town after the contest still lauded the fine offensive and defensive play of Jim Coward, the negro star who formerly played with New York University. Of all the Chief stars, Coward has been the most consistent to date with his top-notch brand of ball.

Tuberculosis kills seven times as many unskilled workers as professional people, three times as many skilled workers as professional people.

Chez Emile, Vets Score Third Straight Win in 'Y' League

McElrath and Lindhorst Highlight Tuesday's Games; Hustlers, Pioneers Thursday

Chez Emile and the V.F.W. quintets remained on top of the Y.M.C.A. Senior Basketball League standings this morning after registering victory number three in a row last night at the "Y" boards. Chez Emile walloped Madden's Aces by 52 to 23 and the Vets downed Aborns by 38 to 23.

The only other game found Potter Brothers chalking up their second win in three starts with a 58 to 37 conquest over the Marines. Both the Chez Emile and V.F.W. fives lead the loop with three wins in as many starts. Potters and Aborns are next with two wins and one setback.

Game Slated Thursday

The Hustlers and Pioneer A.C., both seeking initial victories in the league, will battle it out at the "Y" court Thursday night. Both clubs have dropped both of their games so far this season.

Sparked by Ferrell McElrath's massive 21 points, the Chez Emile squad didn't have too much trouble in disposing of the Madden Aces. The winners rolled up a 26 to 10 edge at halftime and completed the rout during the final two periods.

McElrath dropped in eight fields and five fouls for his 21 markers. George "Zeke" Zelle, former high school cager, scored 12. Krum's nine points topped the Aces.

Leading 20 to 7 at the end of the first two quarters, the V.F.W. quintet outscored the Aborn fives during the final pair of chukkers to chalk up another imposing victory last night. Tony Albany and Sass tossed in eight points apiece for the Vets. Bock's seven markers were high for the defeated Aborns.

Potters, winners of the Autumn League, kept their pennant hopes high for a championship in this league, by overpowering the Marines, 58-37. Ray Lindhorst, another high school luminary, was the main scorer for Potters as he flipped in 20 points on eight fields and four fouls. Sickler scored 12. Jess Shultz and Harry Flowers rounded out the scoring, attack with 11 and 10 respectively. Ten Brock had 11 for the Marines. Potters led at halftime by 27 to 20.

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The boxscores:

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Player	FG	FP	TP
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Haber, f	1	1	3
Hunt, f	0	0	0
Zelle, c	6	0	12
Freer, g	3	0	6
Allen, g	1	0	2
Rieh, g	1	0	2
Crosby, g	3	0	6
Madden, g	0	0	0
Total	23	6	52

Madden Aces (23)

Player	FG	FP	TP
Krum, f	4	1	9
Mahoney, f	0	0	0
Sapp, f	0	0	0
Maroon, f	0	0	0
Polisi, c	0	0	0
Goumas, c	0	0	0
Buchanan, g	0	0	0
Stalton, g	3	2	8
Total	10	3	23

Score at end of first half 26-10. Chez Emile. Referee Lou Schafer. Time of Halves 16 minutes.

V.F.W. (58)

Player	FG	FP	TP
Albany, f	3	2	8
Koch, f	0	2	2
Thomas, f	3	0	6
Emmick, c	0	2	2
Bloom, c	2	0	4
Sass, g	4	0	8
Coughlin, g	0	0	0
Carl, g	0	2	2
Woods, g	3	0	6
Total	15	8	38

Aborns (23)

Player	FG	FP	TP
Maines, f	0	3	3
Perry, f	0	2	2
Coughlin, f	1	0	2
Baltz, c	0	0	0
Beichert, c	0	1	1
Rhymer, g	1	2	4
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Giants Slate Five Honolulu Games During Spring Trip

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The Giants, cellar-dwellers in 1946, will divide their pre-season time between Phoenix, Ariz., Honolulu and an extensive road tour with the Cleveland Indians.

A total of 32 exhibition games have been carded for the Giants. The first game is scheduled for March 8 with Cleveland at Tucson and the finale at West Point in the annual Giant-Cadet series, April 14. The Giant-Indian game ends at the Polo Grounds this year April 13.

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CHARLIE TIANO

Around the local wheels: Irv Alward's 268 single and a 265 short by young Ed Anchood highlighted a week of high scoring in the local men's circuits. . . . The triples weren't high but they were numerous. . . . Anchood's set two Midnight League marks with his 265 and 620. . . . Ed Solan had 611 in the same circuit. . . . Alward posted 635 in the Central Major.

Elsewhere in the loops we found Cliff Quick with 226-635; Bob Hanley 234-615; Johnny Ferraro 229-613 and Randy Kelder with 230 and his first post-war 600, right on the nose. . . . Johnny Schatzel and Dick Howard posted 616 and 600 respectively in the Mixed League. . . . Jimmy Abbott 618, Jimmy Costello 627 and Mike Celuch 248 in the Electrol. . . . Harry Wilber streaked for 627 in the Independent loop.

THE POWDER BOX: "Doc" Rawding took over the women's headlines for the week with her 603 but three members of the Kaye Sportswear combine piled up big series. . . . Charlotte Lapine had a nifty 236 and 581, Marge Jansen 204-585 and Evelyn Moore 212-541. . . . Other worthies: Doris Wolff 513, Evelyn Francis 519, Dot Flemings 519, Reta Fredericks 520, Betty Boyce 502, Marge Jansen (what again) 527, Dot Rawding 508 and Etta Ginder 503.

OF MEN AND MICE: Harry Fitzpatrick, a big favorite with local basketball fans when he played with Kate Smith's Celtics is player coach of the Troy entry in the New York State League. . . . Kevin "Chuck" Connors is reported pulling down \$5,000 for a season's play with the Boston Celtics of the Basketball Association of America. . . . Dick Fitzgerald, Rec hurler, and his brother, are playing with Toronto in the same circuit. . . . Bert Reha, well known here, has been named 1947 city tournament chairman by the Poughkeepsie Bowling Association. . . . Bob Sullivan and Le Roy Neitzke, former outstanding athletes at Poughkeepsie High, have signed with the Nyack club of the North Atlantic League for the 1947 season. . . . Both played with the Roe Movers in 1944.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM

In its first year of operation the Hudson Valley Semi-Pro Football League could be considered a definite success. . . . Financially, it was another story. . . . However it did provide a much needed lift to regional semi-pro football. . . . Johnny Law, president, Bob Bartlett, De Witt Garrison, Jim Duffy, Larry Glennon and Angelo Jannotti did a fine job. . . . Which brings us to George Chumas and Newburgh Recreations. . . . Chumas claims the football championship of the Hudson Valley because the champion Middletown Blue Devils refused to play the Recs in a benefit game. . . . Chumas has a good team, mind you, but while piling up a brilliant record against independent opposition is one thing, winning a title in regular league competition is a horse of a different color. . . . The Recreations were tough but whether they could romp through the Hudson Valley League undefeated is a matter of conjecture. . . . Chumas said: "We have beaten the best teams from Albany to New Jersey and the league's refusal to play the Recreations clearly proves that they are afraid to risk their records." Leave us not kid ourselves about some of these "best independent" squads Chumas talks about. . . . They're plain stinko and George knows it.

MICHIGAN WAS TOUGH: The best team in the Big Nine isn't playing U.C.L.A. in the Rose Bowl comes January 1st. . . . So reasons Major Paul Amen, Army's chief football scout, who startled members of the Hudson Valley Sportswriters Association at the recent dinner held in Kingston. . . . "As far as we were concerned at the Point," the major told the scribes, "Michigan was the best team in the Big Nine. They had been pointing for Army for nearly a year and when we arrived in Ann Arbor we discovered something new had been added in pepping up a college football squad. The huge burghers of Ann Arbor were offering new automobiles for touchdowns, suits for outstanding plays et cetera. With that kind of inducement and the natural, intense rivalry that existed between the teams, you can appreciate the kind of opponents we tackled that day. . . . Other Amenities. . . . Few players could have survived the type of injury Doc Blanchard suffered in the Villanova game. . . . Notre Dame and Army had such great respect for each other they played too conservatively. . . . Oklahoma had the best line the Cadets faced all season."

Coach Isn't Too Happy Over Rose Bowl Game

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 18 (AP)—Coach Ray Eliot is betwixt a sneer and a moan over his Illinois eleven's U.C.L.A. Bowl date with unbeaten U.C.L.A. on New Year's Day.

As he ordered the big nine champions' first outdoor workout today for the Pasadena classic, Eliot tugged the crying towel with typical coaching finesse, but at the same time scowled at "disparaging" west coast comment on the twice-beaten Illinois.

U.C.L.A. partisans wanted army, particularly the Cadets' devastating duo of Glenn Davis and Doc Blanchard, to do their stuff against the host Bruins.

As guests were the most unpopular team in the country for losing the Rose Bowl bid, Eliot said he worked busily in his office dashing off plays for his team to study on the Bowl junket beginning Friday.

The inference was plain that he expected Eliot, who wears a

sports sweater and a burning stare during non-coaching hours, was drooling for a crack at the proud Bruins.

Pronouncing the coaching ritual, Eliot declared: "We're not making this long trip to lose."

Yankee Conference

Amherst, Mass., Dec. 18 (AP)—Six New England land grant colleges have banded themselves into the "Yankee Conference" with President Hugh P. Baker of Massachusetts State College as its chairman. Formal name of the new sports league is the "New England Conference of State Universities and Colleges."

Institutions which have subscribed to the conference code which includes reinstatement of the freshman rule and the transfer rule are the universities of Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire and Connecticut and Massachusetts State College and Rhode Island State College.

A British naval man discovered that orange and lemon juice were the most effective cures for scurvy, a dietary deficiency disease that plagued sailors.

Bowling

Freeman League

Team 3 advanced to a full lead of eight games in The Freeman Bowling League Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. alleys by chalking up a pair of victories over Team 1. In the other match Team 2 won two from Team 4.

Milfred Buddenhagen sparked Team 3 to its pair of conquests Monday night with a 521 triple and 189 single. Team 1, by losing two games, dropped to a full length of eight games in second place. Ralph Najork's 491 three-timer and 195 singleton were high for the losers.

Team 2 increased its third place lead over Team 4 to three full games by clubbing that team with two setbacks Monday. Knute Beichert fired a 186 and 495 for Team 2. Charlie Derrenbacher's 178 and 492 topped Team 4.

The scores:
TEAM FOUR (1) Hutton 89, 109, 100-278; Uhl 125, 145, 83-343; Derrenbacher 162, 178, 153-492; Bruno 130, 208, 184-522; Schuchart 144, 131, 114-379; Handicap 25, 25, 25-75; Totals 855, 1171, 839-2601.
TEAM THREE (2) Brooks 122, 144, 174; Markle 153, 128, 149-430; Haas 171, 122, 146-449; Dittus 136, 139, 166-441; Beichert 106, 174, 135-415; Totals 768, 681, 740-2189.
TEAM ONE (1) Najork 158, 153, 130-441; Leaky 133, 134, 128-395; Schuchart 136, 155, 148-439; LaPoint 165, 125, 121-411; Handicap 4, 4, 4-12; Totals 656, 719, 708-2173.
TEAM TWO (2) Diers 174, 159, 131-464; Simmons 175, 155, 172-482; Miller 110, 127, 122-359; Schryver 161, 103, 172-448; Buddenhagen 161, 171, 189-521; Totals 811, 737, 787-2328.

CITY LEAGUE
Y. M. C. A. (1) Rowland 169, 135-304; Ralbie 162, 194, 165-521; Mazuca 148-148; McEntee 210, 183, 137-530; Boesneck 170, 178, 198-546; Schuchart 182, 206, 170-558; Totals 809, 835-2467.
JACK'S GRILL (2) Van Deusen 148, 184, 187-517; Wood 182, 200, 185-567; Robinson 161, 151, 169-546; Sampson 182, 176, 163-521; Rice 182, 204, 204-590; Totals 858, 975, 907-2740.

Independent League

Both the top teams in the Independent League—Callanans and Stone Ridge—registered clean sweeps Monday night and are still stationed in the first and second slots in the league standings. Callanans dumped Beichert's in three straight to give that club a first place standing of 28-17 while Stone Ridge applied the same works to Wilber Coal to give the Firemen a 27-18 record for the season.

Orv Van Alstyne pushed the Callanans to three triumphs by firing a scintling 220 single and 609 triple, high for the night. Orv's other scores were 164 and 216. Casey Griffin hit 543, Leon Stodd had 404 and F. Schick posted 801 for the winners. McConnell's 525 and Henry's 500 were high marks for Beichert's.

Schryver Rocks 238
Fred Schryver peeled off the biggest individual single score of the night Monday with his 238 in the opening game. His triple was 567 for Stone Ridge. Ray Cord fashioned 510 for the winners over Wilbers. Ray DuBois's 519 and Harry Wilber's 513 topped the losing legions.

Post moved to within one game of third place by knocking off Vogel's Dairy in a double. Post slammed out an opening game of 223 and finished with 588 for the night. His other counts were 204 and 161. Jack Hartman crashed 588 and Jim Roe hit 514. Charlie Gruenewald's 514 and 514 were high for the losing team. The winning team with 201-612-213 for 576. Leo Everitt's 549, and Don Vogel's 533 were other high marks for Vogels.

Jump's Market remained in the cellar position after dropping two to Cole's Market. C. Rymer had a 207 and 593 for Coles while Milt Cole, Jr., banged 510. Ray Halbert's 534 topped the losers. Tom Costello posted high single of 210.

The scores:
CALLANANS (3) L. Van Alstyne 149, 187, 184-519; L. Van Alstyne 149, 187, 184-519; C. Griffin 206, 174, 169-549; F. Schick 160, 134, 187-581; O. Van Alstyne 164, 216, 225-605; Totals 858, 854, 912-2623.
STONE RIDGE (2) McConnell 191, 168, 168-525; Kubick 167, 155, 154-476; Henry 159, 159, 146-507; Beichert 187, 140, 166-493; Marks 148, 135, 121-404; Handicap 6, 6, 6-18; Totals 858, 797, 758-2413.

WILBERS (2) Wilber 160, 185, 169-513; W. DuBois 184, 170, 144-498; Brown 153, 162, 182-497; O'Connell 151, 162, 182-495; Totals 858, 854, 912-2623.
STONE RIDGE (2) Davis 186, 150-236; Schryver 206, 174, 166-546; Cord 169, 168, 175-510; Dawkins 196, 190-376; East 133, 144-277; Muller 122, 146, 187-455; Handicap 17, 8, 18-44; Totals 902, 848, 851-2602.

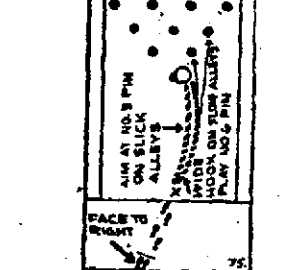
MARTINS (2) F. Martin 140, 151, 122-413; R. Post 223, 204, 161-588; J. Dawkins 160, 181, 157-498; J. Roe 127, 184, 202-514; J. Hartman 174, 198, 198-569; Handicap 46, 46, 46-138; Totals 809, 884, 889-2582.
VOGELS (1) D. Vogel 175, 191, 167-532; L. Everitt 179, 200, 170-549; B. Rosinski 148, 179, 182-407; Blind 140, 175, 175-492; C. Gruenewald 201, 163, 213-576; Totals 874, 907, 887-2667.

COLES (2) J. Cole 172, 134, 171-477; E. O'Connell 127, 144, 180-451; Low 122, 171-303; C. Rymer 207, 201, 182-590; B. Pierce 157, 163, 162-482; M. Cole Jr. 188, 186, 126-510; Handicap 32, 30, 35-101; Totals 800, 847, 852-2599.
JUMPS (1) R. Halbert 152, 156, 211-519; D. Barker 142, 148, 176-466; H. Jump 191, 154, 163-508; T. Costello 210, 157, 141-508; Blind 181, 164, 181-523; Totals 891, 795, 812-2698.

GOOD NEIGHBOR LEAGUE
KINGSTON STATIONERY (2) J. Blinder 162, 131, 130-423; B. Schwartz 183, 107-290; E. Greenard 130, 118, 107-355; H. Gottleib 163, 122-285; Friedman 133, 154, 149-442; J. Tirsch 173, 171, 146-490; Handicap 56, 48, 70-174; Totals 703, 741, 715-2254.
L. M. R. (1) E. Maroon 144, 137,

Better Bowling

By BILLY SIXTY



THE ANGLE STRIDE: In previous articles on footwork it was emphasized that control depends entirely on finishing consistently on an identical spot at the foul line, and to stride (run) in a straight line.

The straight line point has apparently been misconstrued by a reader who writes that he followed the earlier advice but finds it unnatural and can't make it work. He is small and slim, he explains, and to compensate for the lack of the swinging 20 pound ball he formerly started his stride in the center of the alley and ran to the RIGHT. In that way he was able to release his ball consistently at the same spot and had control.

The thing for him to do is to resume that original style—the method that is most natural and accomplish the very point stressed: To finish at the same spot at the line.

A number of bigtimers employ the ANGLE stride from left to right, yet run straight. No zig-zagging. One of them is Otto Stein, Jr., of St. Louis, former world match champion. Another is Fred Thomas of Peoria, Ill., a veteran star. Still another is young Lee Braymiller of Chicago, one of the game's finest prospects.

By all means, the stride can be angled, but in that case the ball is started near the corner and to avoid driving high on the head pin a straight-arm follow-through must be used. Aim for the No. 3 pin on slick alleys, and between the 3 and 6 pins on slow alleys. (Copyright by John F. Dille Co.)

Tony Zale Receives Memorial Trophy

Gary Boxer Unanimous Choice of Writers

New York, Dec. 18 (AP)—Tony Zale, middleweight champion, today joined a select list of boxing greats which includes Jack Dempsey, Benny Leonard and Joe Louis by being awarded the Edward J. Neill memorial trophy as the man who did the most for the fight game in 1946.

The game, blond better from Gary, Ind., who defended his 160-pound crown several months ago by knocking out Rocky Graziano in six rounds in his first post-war title tussle after four years in the navy, was the unanimous choice of the Boxing Writers' Association of New York for the annual honor, which is named in memory of the Associated Press sports writer and war correspondent who was killed during the war in Spain in 1938.

Mike Jacobs was awarded the writers' second prize for long service to boxing. The 66-year-old promoter is in a hospital now after being stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage and an acute heart attack.

Formal presentation of the awards to Zale and Jacobs will be made at the Boxing Writers' annual dinner in January.

Zale is the eighth to win the trophy. Others to receive the award were Henry Armstrong, Barney Ross, James J. Walker, former New York mayor; Billy Conn, Dempsey, Leonard and Louis. In 1943, the writers took cognizance of the nearly 5,000 professional fighters serving in the armed forces during the war, and awarded the trophy to them as a group.

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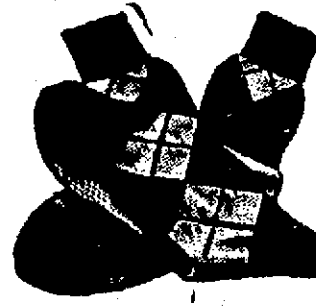
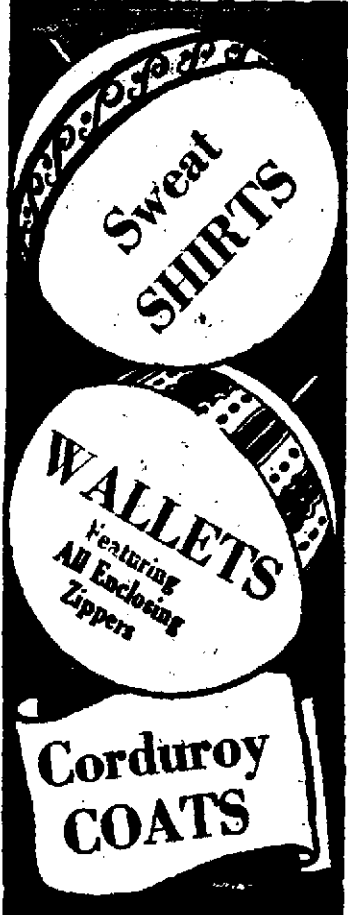
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Rev. G. J. Koster Gets Call to Fonda Church

The Rev. Gerard J. Koster, pastor of the Marbletown Reformed Church in Stone Ridge for three years, has received a call from the Fonda Reformed Church.

The Rev. Mr. Koster acted as best man for the Rev. William E. Miller, former pastor of the Fonda Church, at his wedding November 9 and then conducted the worship service at the church the following Sunday, December 1. At the meeting of the congregation following the service, he was given the call to become pastor of the Fonda Church.

The Rev. Mr. Miller, who has been at the Fonda Church for one and a half years, was student minister at the First Dutch Reformed Church in this city during the summer of 1944. He leaves the Fonda Church the first of the year to accept the position of assistant professor in Bible at Hope College, Holland, Mich.

Farewell Sermon

The resignation of the Rev. Russell S. Gaenzle from the pastorate of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer will become effective on Christmas Day. He will preach his farewell sermon to the congregation on Sunday, December 22, at 10:45 a. m., and will conduct his final service at the Christmas Eve candlelight service at 11 p. m. Pastor Gaenzle has served his present parish for twelve and one-half years and is leaving for St. John's Lutheran Church, Albany, N. Y. His new field numbers 1,650 members with a Sunday school of 350.

During his period of service in the local church, \$190,000 was raised for all expenses of this amount \$25,000 was spent for benevolences and \$40,000 for special projects, including the renovating program of 1937 and the present appeal for funds with which to celebrate the Golden Anniversary. Vital statistics were as follows: 439 new members added to the rolls, 192 baptisms, 88 marriages and 244 funerals. Attendance at all services—morning, Lenten and communion—showed remarkable increase. During 1946 alone 72 new members were received into the fellowship of the church.

Pastor Gaenzle has been active in the religious and civic life of the community. He has delivered the baccalaureate sermon at the local high school and the New Paltz State Teachers' College graduations. He has spoken at the communion breakfast of the Federated Men's Clubs and on numerous other occasions. He served as president of the Kingston Council of Churches which set up a course of study for week-day education in the grade and high schools. He was instrumental in organizing Chi Alpha, a youth group for Protestants in the high school. In the Ministers' Association he held the office of president for a term. In the affairs of the Lutheran Church at large, Pastor Gaenzle is playing a prominent part. At present he is president of the Eastern Conference of the United Lutheran Synod of New York which consists of some 60 congregations and 54 ministers. He is a member of the Synod's Board of Education and chairman of its committee on seminary interests. He has been chairman of the Synod's Committee on Preaching of the Social Mission Committee. He has been twice a delegate from the Synod to the bi-annual convention of the United Lutheran Church in America.

Pastor Gaenzle was born in Reading, Pa., and received his preliminary education in the public schools of that city. He was graduated from Muhlenberg College and from the Mt. Airy Seminary. Prior to his pastorate in Kingston, he was associate pastor of a Lutheran Church in Buffalo, N. Y. He is married to the former Marion Wilson of Reading, Pa.

GARDINER

Gardiner, Dec. 18—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McKinstry were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucy of Peekskill Saturday.

Mrs. Jasper Schiro and daughter, Annette and Helen and Mrs. Anthony Schiro and daughter, Ethel returned home Wednesday of last week after having visited relatives in Independence, La. for the past few weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Francis and Mrs. Edward Sears of New York were callers on Mrs. Stella Woolsey last Thursday.

Mrs. William Schoonmaker of Port Jervis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Williamson and Mrs. Etta Butties spent Friday in Kingston.

Daniel O'Neil has returned home after visiting his sister, Mrs. Claude Bakas of Chicago.

Miss Janet Denton spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Kingston.

Mrs. A. D. McKinstry and Mrs. Frank Dushinberry spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lasher and two sons of Binnewater spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood.

Mrs. Anna O'Neil has returned home after spending a few weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Majestic, of Port Henry.

Mrs. Stella Woolsey spent the week-end with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Woolsey, of Pittsburgh. En route home she spent a few days with her sister, Miss Edith Sears, of New York.

Mrs. Esther Ward has returned to New York for the winter.

Miss Helen Moran of Theills spent the week-end at her home.

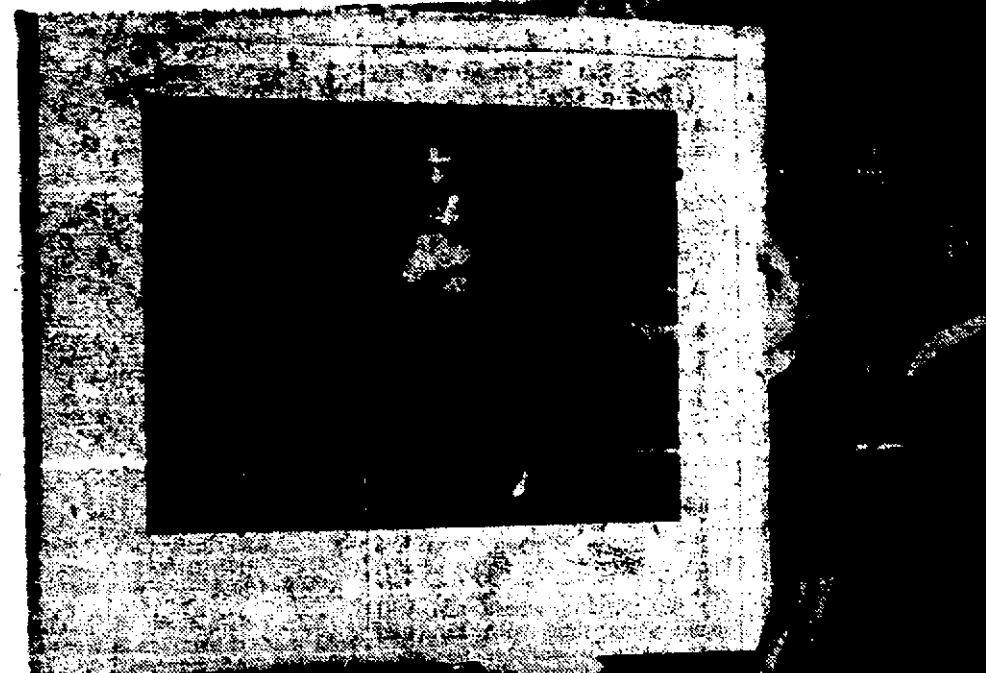
Mrs. Lawson Upright and Mrs. Norval Yeaple spent Tuesday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Anna DuBois and brother Robert Clinton of the Bronx spent a few days the past week at their home here.

Miss Grace Boland of Theills was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Denton.

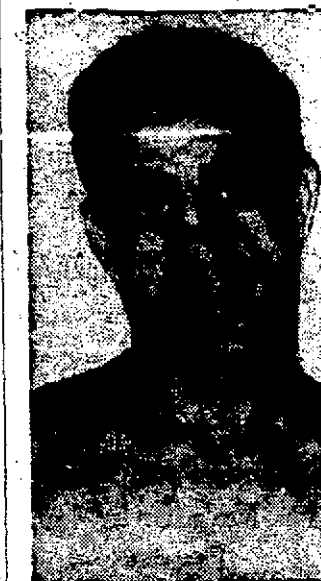
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Every attended a banquet given by the Quarter Century Club of the Borden Co. employees at Mitchell Inn, Middletown, Wednesday of last week. Mr. Barton has been employed by the Borden Co. for 34 years and Mr. Every 28 years. Arthur Wood, also of this village, was with the Borden Co. for 28 years.

Works Likeness of Famous Horse



Ernest Leudtke, former Kingston resident, who now resides in Newburgh, has completed this remarkable likeness of Assault, three-year-old colt, voted "The Horse of the Year" by 32 qualified horse experts throughout the country. The picture was worked on imported yarn with a green, velvet background. The horse itself is in varied shades of brown but in its original color as is the jockey and ranch background. Mr. Leudtke's picture received many favorable comments while on display at the Good Time Track in Goshen where it was suggested that he contact Robert E. Keleberg, owner of Assault, at the King Ranch in Texas. This past season Assault was the triple winner of the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness and Belmont Stakes and was trained by Maxie Hirsch. Mr. Leudtke started work on the picture after the running of the Kentucky Derby and completed it nearly two months ago. He has made several other re-productions, which are well known in this city.

On Next Card



TONY BURRONE

Highlighting the December 26 boxing card scheduled for the municipal auditorium will be the five rounder featuring Jackie Keough of Cleveland and Tony Burrone, upstate welterweight in a return match. Burrone was decided by Keough in the first meeting of these two battlers December 4. According to reports from Burrone's camp, the Schenectady matter is set to even the score. The rest of the B'nai B'rith card will be announced later.

Reiser Has Operation For Throwing Defect

St. Louis, Dec. 18 (AP)—Pete Reiser, Brooklyn outfielder, had an operation on his right shoulder at St. John's Hospital here yesterday to correct a difficulty in throwing, and today the surgeon, Dr. John F. Hyland, said he had "the utmost confidence that the operation will be a success."

Doctor Hyland said there was a dislocation between the collar bone and breast bone, and the operation was to attach them. The injury kept Reiser on the bench a good part of last season.

Davis Cup Outlook Takes Brighter Turn

Melbourne, Australia, Dec. 18 (AP)—Things perked up today for the American Davis Cup tennis team.

For the first time since he reached Australia, Jack Kramer, U. S. champion, began to show flashes of his great Forest Hills form as he subdued Frankie Parker in two quick sets during practice for the forthcoming cup matches with Australia.

The big fellow upon whom American hopes of lifting the Davis Cup rest was grinning happily when he finished and said: "Boy, it feels good to start hitting them again."

Meantime non-playing Captain Walter Pate tried Kramer in a new doubles combination, but with only fair results.

He paired Kramer with Gardner Mulloy and although the two tall sluggers beat Ted Schroeder and Parker in two sets, 6-4, 6-4,

they were not too happy together.

Both customarily play the left court and Mulloy, shifted to the right, appeared uncertain of himself.

The fish known as the "sole" sometimes is called the "witch."

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Players Go to Coast For East-West Game

Chicago, Dec. 18 (AP)—Twenty-four college football players from 15 eastern and midwestern schools today headed for San Francisco, where they are to play for the east team in the annual East-West Shrine game on New Year's Day.

The group left here last night after meeting at Northwestern University's Dyche Stadium to receive practice equipment and listen to talks by coaches Andy Kerr of Colgate and Bernie Bierman of Minnesota. Kerr, who has retired as Colgate coach, has been a co-coach of the East team since 1927 and Bierman has been affiliated with the game since 1938.

The game is for the benefit of the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children. The west holds an edge of 11 victories against six for the East while four games, including last New Year's Day contest, ended in ties.

Tuberculosis can be detected in its early stage by means of X-ray pictures. Tuberculosis Associations, whose work is supported by the sale of Christmas Seals, advocate periodic X-rays of every adult.

Approximately 500,000 people in this country have tuberculosis, according to conservative estimates. Half of these are "unknown cases"—people who may not know they are ill yet may be spreading the disease.

Rio de Janeiro is 44 hours by scheduled air service from London and 28 hours from New York.

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Tonight, Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1946:

6:00 News Roundup
6:25 Happy Birthday
6:30 Sports Round-up
6:55 Today's Homes
7:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15 "Sentimental Journey"
7:30 Call of Israel
7:45 "Ridin' Music"
8:00 Christmas Cheer Program
8:05 Gabriel Heatter
8:30 "What's the Name of That Song"
8:35 Author Meets Critics
8:40 United Press News
8:45 WKNY Yawn Patrol
8:50 Tomorrow's Highlights
9:00 Good Morning, Neighbor
9:30 Local News Headlines
9:35 Victrola Living
9:40 News Round-up
9:45 Hymns: Morning Devotions
9:50 "Shady Valley Folks"
9:55 Marching Along with Veterans
10:00 Ann Scott, women's news
10:05 Cavalcade of Christmas
10:10 Man About Town
10:15 Art Baker's Notebook
10:20 Brunch with Brophy
10:30 Hudson Valley Farm News
10:35 Noonday News
10:40 Bob Browning, Local News
10:45 "Queen for a Day"
10:50 "John J. Anthony"
10:55 "Cedric Foster, news"
11:00 "United Press News"
11:05 Number, Please
11:10 Letters to Santa
11:15 Santa Claus
11:20 Children's Hour
11:25 Mutual Network Program

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Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 noon.
Dated at Kingston, N. Y., December 14, 1946.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Stockholders of The National Trust Bank of Kingston, N. Y., will be held at the Banking House, 23 East Street, in the City of Kingston, N. Y., on Tuesday, January 14, 1947, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
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Insane Army Lifers

Escape From Hospital

Phoenixville, Pa., Dec. 18 (AP)—Six criminally insane army life term prisoners who forced a window to escape from Valley Forge General Hospital eluded capture in eastern Pennsylvania today.

Police units hunting the fugitives called on civilians in radio broadcasts to help by reporting immediately any trace of the men. They warned that five were dangerous and should be approached with caution.

Heavily armed and equipped with torchlights, civilians and military police searched densely wooded sections and lonely country lanes in the hospital vicinity after the escape was reported shortly before last midnight.

Police said the five, committed for crimes ranging from rape to murder, escaped through a window of their ward and possibly were aided in the quick getaway by an automobile.

The hospital said the men were not armed when they fled from their ward but that it was possible they obtained weapons later. A previous statewide police alarm had stated the men were armed.

The public relations office identified those at large as: Joseph Bruno, 28, Staten Island, N. Y.; Howard Boggs, 28, Huntington, W. Va.

Curtis L. Fogarty, 24, address unavailable.
Harry F. Keller, 28, address unavailable.
Frank L. Lofton, 26, Negro, Saginaw, Mich.

Gerald Brant, who was admitted yesterday and could not be described.

Late Bus Trips

The Eagle Bus Line will run late trips Friday, Saturday and Monday from High Falls and return in order to accommodate Christmas shoppers. At the Crown Street Bus Terminal it was said the bus would leave Kingston on those evenings at 10 p. m.

American oil prospectors are engaged in surveying the Sinai Peninsula of Egypt.

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The Temperature
The lowest temperature recorded by The Freeman thermometer during the night was 34 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 36 degrees.

Weather Forecast

New York city and vicinity —

This afternoon, cloudy, highest temperature about 35 degrees, moderate northwest wind. Tonight clear and cold, lowest temperature 25 to 30 degrees; gentle to moderate westerly winds. Tomorrow sunny and cold; highest temperature 30 to 35 degrees, moderate west to south-west winds.

Eastern New York — Cloudy and colder today with some rain or snow in extreme south portion followed by clearing tonight. Thursday fair and cold.

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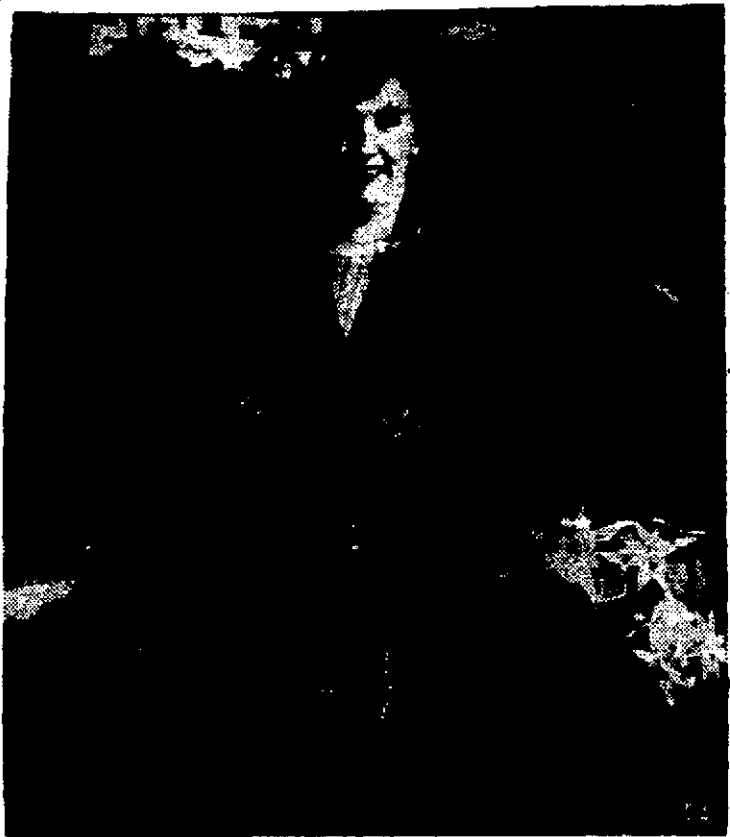
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ACCORD

Accord, Dec. 18—The Sunday school of the Reformed Church will hold a Christmas party in the church basement Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Sunday school of the Methodist Church will hold a family night supper and Christmas entertainment in the church hall Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

A community carol service will be held at the Reformed Church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. Following the service the young people of the community are invited to go Christmas caroling under the direction of the Rev. John Hart.

Mrs. Hartley Tanner has been a patient at the Kingston Hospital for a few days.

Mrs. Susan Warren, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford, has left for Summitville where she will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Warren.

Mrs. Jessie Campbell has moved from the Methodist parsonage to an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Terwilliger.

Floyd Countryman, Jr., broke his thumb recently.

Edward Carle will hold the opening of his new self-service store on Friday evening. Stanley Kelder will open his electric display in the Carle store on the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson and daughters spent the week-end in New York viewing the Christmas decorations.

Mrs. Mae Keester is spending some time with Mrs. Phoebe Lawrence.

Mrs. Percy Gazlay is still ill at her home.

Mrs. Anna Smith, Mrs. Mae Keester, and Mrs. Phoebe Lawrence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Coddington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schoonmaker have returned from a trip through the southern states.

Mrs. Chester Quick spent a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schoonmaker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lawrence, Jr., who recently were married in Frankfurt, N. Y., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lawrence, Sr.

Mrs. Anna Smith and Mrs. Mary Baker are spending a few days at their home preparatory to closing it for the winter.

Mrs. Sam Herschowsky died recently at her home, following a long illness, during which she was a most patient sufferer.

There will be no mail service on Christmas day. The post office will be closed and there will be no rural delivery. The cooperation of the patrons in mailing early will be appreciated.

Realtors to Meet

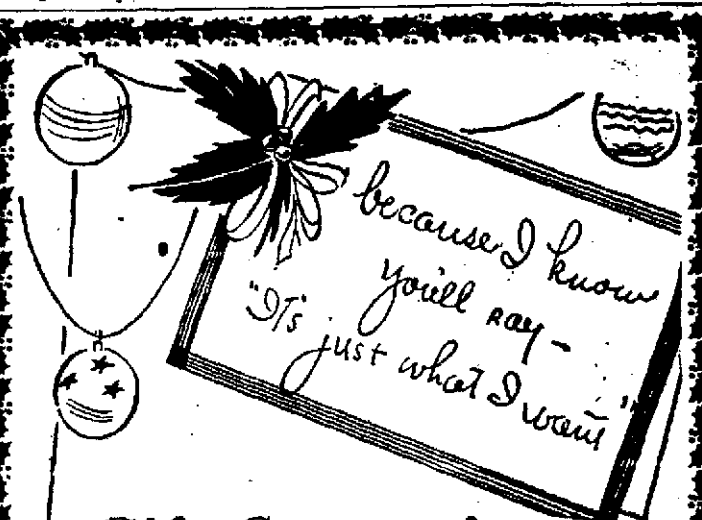
The Ulster County Real Estate Board will meet Thursday, December 18, at 7:30 at the offices of A. J. Burns on Wall street. All members are urged to attend as plans will be completed for the annual dinner meeting in January. A nominating committee also will be named.

Chief diagnostic weapon in detecting tuberculosis is the X-ray discovered 51 years ago by Wilhelm Konrad Roentgen. Christmas Seal funds have purchased 190 X-ray units now being used in the search for unknown cases.

MOTHER AND GRANDMOTHER



Mrs. Edith Hood, 18 (left) and her mother, Mrs. Ethel Wadler, 36, hold their babies which were born a few hours apart in Los Angeles. Mrs. Wadler's grandchild was born just before her new daughter. (AP Wirephoto)



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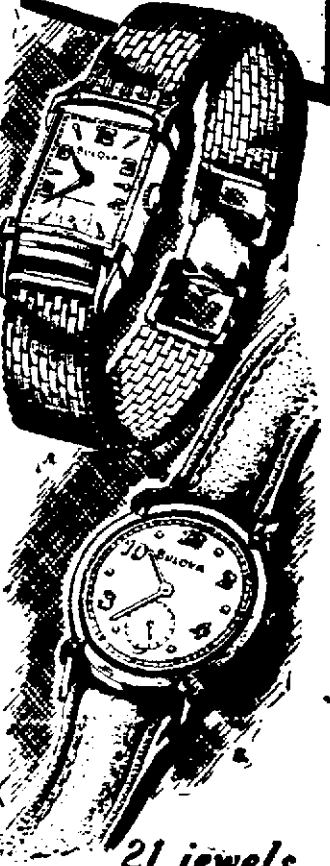
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